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**Every bushel of potatoes properly stored, every pound of vegetables properly put by for future use, every jar of fruit preserved, add that much to our insurance of victory, add that much to hasten the end of this conflict.**
**—PRESIDENT WILSON.**

# TIGHTEN BRITISH LINES ABOUT LENS

## Canadian Troops Score Additional Gains—Germans Become Uneasy.

By Associated Press.

BRITISH FRONT IN FRANCE AND BELGIUM, Aug. 7.—The British lines continue to tighten about the French city of Lens, north of Arras.

CANADIANS ADVANCE.

Canadian troops who on Saturday night pushed their positions forward approximately 200 yards along a front of a thousand yards into the western environs of the city, late yesterday added a 600 yard front of a similar depth to their defenses south and west of the outskirts of that mining center.

GERMANS WORRIED.

The Germans have been showing signs of decided uneasiness in the Lens sector for several days, as has been evidenced by their practice of throwing a curtain of fire on the British trenches each morning.

Vimy and Farbus, towns behind the British lines south of Lens also have been shelled daily by enemy batteries.

The rest of the British front has continued in a state of comparative calm, so far as infantry actions have been concerned.

## FRENCH SMASH GERMAN LINES

Paris, Aug. 7.—French troops last night broke into the lines of the German crown prince on the Champagne front at three places, inflicting losses on the Germans, and bringing back prisoners, it was officially announced today by the French war department. A Teuton attack between Ascourt Wood and Hill 304, in the Verdun sector, was driven off with heavy losses to the Germans.

There were fairly violent artillery duels in the Bixschoote sector of the Belgian front, and between Hurtebise and Craonne, north of the River Aisne.

## U-BOAT ATTACKS SPANISH BOAT

London, Aug. 7.—The Admiralty learns that a German submarine yesterday attacked a Spanish fishing boat in the neighborhood of Bilbao, Spain, within Spanish territorial waters. Two of the crew were severely wounded.

# Speed Work On Airship

## All of Allies Joined in Move to Gain Sky Control.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 7.—The United States, in close operation with the British, French and Italian governments, will coordinate all industries entering into the great aviation program upon which the nation embarked with the passage by congress of the $640,000,000 aviation bill.

AID ALLIES' PLAN.

The aircraft production board, acting for the government, will arrange for the purchase of all airplane spruce and other wood entering into construction and distribute it to Great Britain, France, Italy and the United States in proportion to the needs of each country.

Ultimately all steel will be manufactured in this country and distributed in the same way, releasing British, French, and Italian steel for other war purposes.

USE NEW STYLE MOTORS.

With the perfection of the new standard motor, which is now undergoing all manners of tests at the bureau of standards in this city, the new engine will be used to a great extent by the allies as well as by the United States.

BANTOUL FIELD COMPLETED.

Bantoul, Aug. 7.—The Chanute aviation field, which was begun the last week in May, will be turned over to the government next Monday, it was announced at the field today.

A number of prominent government officials, including Howard Coffin, the chairman of the aircraft production board, are expected to arrive at Bantoul Saturday for an inspection of the field. This is the field the building of which Mr. Coffin stated had broken all past records. The field complete will cost a cool million and will accomodate from 850 to 1,000 fliers.

## GOULD HEIR SEEKS TO EVADE SERVICE

New York, Aug. 7.—Kingdon Gould, of Lakewood, N. J., railroad official and eldest son of George Jay Gould, capitalist, has filed at Toms River, N. J., a claim of exemption from enforced military duty on the plea of dependents for support. He had been passed as physically fit for army duty by the surgeon of the exemption board. Gould was married July 2.

## HOUSTON URGES FOOD CONSERVATION

Washington, Aug. 7.—President Wilson's patriotic appeal to the country's farmers and gardeners, having been answered with bumper crops, it is now up to consumers to do their share by conserving perishable foods, according to a statement issued by Secretary Houston today in which he suggests particular ways in which housewives can render definite material service.

"I urge not only that every home assist in the conservation of the surplus perishable fruits and vegetables by canning, preserving, pickling, drying, and storing, but also that every experienced woman place her knowledge at the disposal of her neighbors." To that end, it is specifically recommended that women call their organizations together for discussion of conservation work, that demonstrations in canning and preserving be given and that they cooperate with local food officials.

# Distribute Gas Masks to U.S. Troops In France

## Sammies to Get First Thrill in Experiments Soon.

By Associated Press.

AMERICAN TRAINING CAMP IN FRANCE, Aug. 7.—The issuance of French gas masks to the American soldiers has brought them a little nearer to the realization of their proximity to real warfare. The men are looking forward to the gas experiments with the greatest possible interest as giving a touch of adventure to their training.

TO BE GIVEN TEST.

When the so-called "gas house" is completed, the men will be put through a mixture of a deadly vapor several times stronger than will ever be encountered upon the field of battle.

Some German prisoners have claimed that in their training they have endured periods of from five to ten minutes in a gas mixture fifty times as strong as could possibly be maintained in an open air attack. The men are put through these intense mixtures to demonstrate to them that with proper care and use of their equipment they cannot be hurt by any gas likely to be encountered in the front line trenches.

IMPORTANT TRAINING.

It is a most important branch of the modern training of a soldier that he should be convinced that there are many methods of effectively dealing with the deadliest terrors of latter day warfare; that careless, slovenly and unheeding soldiers are the ones first to succumb. It is even demonstrated to the soldiers that the terrifying liquid fire can be avoided except in most extraordinary circumstances such as being caught in a tunnel or in a dugout with the enemy in such a position that he can pour flames through the entrances.

MUST WATCH EQUIPMENT.

In training the Americans regarding gas the greatest weight is to be laid on demonstrating to each man the value of his protective appliance, and seeing that he is fully instructed in its proper use. He will be made to realize, however, that only by skilful and rapid adjustment of the mask can protection be assured and that it shall be a daily task with him to see that his appliance is in good condition. Fit must be assured for otherwise the gas penetrates through every small hole, and attacks the eyes and mouth so that in a short time the man is put out of action.

Lectures on gas are being arranged first for the officers then for the men, for in gas training officers have to go through identical drills and experiences. Ten seconds will be the outside limit allowed for the adjustment of helmets after the gas alarm has been sounded. The increasing use of gas shells, even from the longest range guns makes the carrying of masks far back of the line an imperative military necessity.

FIRST WARNING.

The first traces of gas poisoning are a hot mouth and irritation of throat. Despite proof that the Allies have so often produced to the contrary and the terrible deaths allied soldiers died when this hideous mode of warfare was first sprung upon unsuspecting foes by the high command of the German army private soldiers and Germans say the gases are so-called "smelling substances," and are not poisonous.

The substances they assert exert stupefying action and after long exposure have an asphyxiating effect. Under their influence vision is affected. A man subjected to it is forced to close his eyes in a few seconds and can observe nothing. Germans naively admit, however, that "it is impossible to remain in these gases without protection." The exact nature of the composition of practically all of the German gases is known to the Allies, and the Americans are obtaining immediately the full results and benefits of all this laborious and dangerous work.

# RUSSIANS HURL TEUTONS BACK

Kishinev, Russia, Aug. 7.—Austro-German troops between the Dniester and the Pruth have been thrown back on the front ten miles from Chotin, according to news from the battle area, reaching here. Chotin is at the junction of the Zbrocz and Dniester rivers on the Galician-Russian frontier. South of Grimaloy the Russians drove back the Teuton advanced posts.

In the region west of the River Zbrocz on the Russian-Galician frontier, Austro-German troops, the statement adds, are hastily gathering the harvest.

GERMANS GAIN HEIGHTS.

Petrograd, Aug. 7.—In the direction of Kimpolung, in Bukowina, Austro-German forces, after a battle with the Russians, occupied the heights at Molit, says the official announcement issued today by the Russian war department.

In the region of the River Bystritza two Russian regiments voluntarily left their positions causing the Russian troops to retire a few miles.

In the direction of Fokshani, on the Roumanian front, the forces of the Central Powers and their allies began an offensive and pressed back the Russo- Roumanian troops across the River Tyrladesus.

## JAPAN TO SEND MISSION TO U. S.

Tokio, Aug. 7.—Members of the House of Representatives met and decided to send five of their members to the United States to study conditions. They will start about Sept. 1, and return in December. The delegation will represent all parties

# TAFT STRICKEN IN KANSAS

Clay Center, Kans., Aug. 7.—Former President William H. Taft became ill at a hotel here during the night and today is under the care of a physician. The nature of his illness was described only as being stomach trouble. He will be unable to leave Clay Center today for Lincoln, Neb., where he has a speaking engagement. He delivered an address here last night.

## EXPRESS PROFITS STILL DECREASE

Washington, Aug. 7.—Continued decrease in profit of express companies is shown in statistics covering operations for April. Operating incomes for all companies for April was $460,956, a falling off of more than 60 per cent. from the figures of April, 1916.

# DRAFT RESISTERS NOW SURRENDER

## 250 Oklahoma Men Face Serious Charges.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Aug. 7.—Early reports from Seminole, Hughes and Pontotoc counties indicated that the night passed without disturbances. Draft objectors continued to surrender without offering resistance. With two of the national organizers of the Working Class Union among the more than 250 prisoners taken already, officers continued their search for three or four others of the more prominent leaders in an effort to put an end to the sporadic outbreaks, which may be expected as long as they are at liberty.

Department of justice agents at Holdenville, Wewoka and Ada continued the preparation of information charging conspiracy to evade the selective draft, filling in names of prisoners as they reached these points.

# Wilson Spurns German Trick for Peace Parley

## President Willing to Act When Offer Is Made in Bona Fide Way.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 6.(Special)—President Wilson is ready to deal with the question of peace when the offer is made in a definite, bona fide way, but will not be tricked into a discussion of alleged peace terms which are put forward, not with the purpose of ending the war, but to gain time or to act as propaganda.

This was the message which was brought back to the capitol yesterday by Senator Lewis of Illinois, following a conference with the president at the White House.

NO "TRICK OF PLACE."

"I do not quote the president," Mr. Lewis said," but do say for myself that when the true signs of peace based on the principles for which America went into this war shall appear the president will be the first to treat with them; but when they shall come disguised as peace—only to serve the further cruelties of war—and betrayal of America, Woodrow Wilson will be the last to be caught.

The country will hear from the president on peace or war just as soon as truth or any new actual conditions call for him to take congress and the people into his confidence. He will allow the American people to lose no rights nor suffer any wrongs his diligence could prevent. I cannot say any further at this time on this subject."

Senator Lewis, who addressed the senate immediately following the message of Chancellor Michaelis to the German reichstag, declared that he construed the message as a bid for peace on the terms of the allies. Asked if he had discussed that with the president, the senator said:

I may say that the president appeared pleased that the discussion of the significance of recent utterances abroad in regard to possible proposals and peace terms had been entered upon by members of congress and by the public generally."

SPEED UP WAR WORK.

Mr. Lewis also said the president indicated a desire to have congress take an early vacation after speedily enacting the war legislation needed.

The Illinois senator told the president he believed congress could adjourn Sept. 1.

# Plan to Call National Army in Five Relays

## Chance Given to Men Who Are Needed in Farm Work.

Washington, D. C.—Aug 7.—The new national army will be called out in increments of 100,000 men rather than as one unit of half a million. This has been made plain by Provost Marshal Gen. Crowder.

In an order to local draft boards Gen. Crowder stated that they might grant temporary release to men needed in harvesting crops, holding them back for this service until the later units are called into service as work of mobilization of the new army proceeds.

CALLED IN FIVE SECTIONS

It is proposed that there shall be five increments, called at intervals of from one to two weeks, the first to be called about Sept. 1. Under this plan, men subject to draft who are needed in the harvest fields until October could be designated for the last units and thus keep at the work of garnering the nation's crops.

"Under presidential regulations," says the order, "providing that certificates of discharge on ground of industrial necessity may be temporary only, attention is called to the needlessness of using such certificates for men whose services are required in gathering the fall crops. Such necessity may be imperative, but is only temporary. Its termination will vary in the various regions and for the different crops, but can hardly continue beyond the third or fourth week of September, even in the most northerly latitudes.

NO FIXED DATE OF CALL.

"Under supplementary instructions soon to be issued covering the procedure of mobilization into cantonments, and carrying out the announcement of presidential regulations, section 48, last paragraph, the notice to persons accepted for service will not specify a fixed date for individuals to report for duty, but will leave this date to be later fixed.

"The adjutant general will notify each local board to summon, say 20 per cent of its quota for a certain date, another percentage for a later date and so on. Each local board will select the individuals who shall form the successive contingents thus to be called."

# NEW CONTROLLER OF BRITISH NAVY

## Shake-up in Admiralty By Naming Alan Anderson, First Lord, Causes Stir.

London, Aug. 6.—(Delayed)—Official announcement was made at the Admiralty tonight that Admiral Sir Cecil Burney, second sea lord had been replaced by Vice Admiral Sir Roselyn Wemyss. Alan Garrett Anderson, hitherto vice chairman of the wheat commission, succeeds Sir Eric Campbell Geddes, the new first lord of the Admiralty, as controller of naval construction.

CHANGES CAUSE STIR.

The changes in the British Admiralty are attracting much attention, and are interpreted as the first step in a reorganization which, it is supposed Sir Eric Campbell Geddes, first lord of the Admiralty, was appointed to carry out.

SOME DENOUNCE CHANGE.

In quarters, where the existing admiralty methods are regarded as unsatisfactory, the present step is denounced as a "procrastinatory half measure," and it is declared the change ought to have been so complete as to "give the country a resolute and energetic admiralty permeated by an offensive spirit.

## EXPERIENCED IN SHIPBUILDING

London, Aug. 7.—Alan Anderson, the new controller of the navy, who will be responsible for the admiralty's shipbuilding requirements, has a close knowledge of both shipping and railways. He was long associated with a company of shipping brokers, and is a director of the Midland Railway. He is a son of Dr. Elizabeth Garret Anderson, a well known physician and the first woman to be elected as mayor in England, being the chief magistrate of Aldeburgh.

There is no implication of incapacity against Admiral Sir Cecil Barney, whose services as Admiral Jellicoe's second in command of the grand fleet are recognized and an official announcement states that he will be employed on special duty. It is assumed that as his record was made in active command, he may welcome the change.

## BANK OF SPAIN'S BIG GOLD SUPPLY

Madrid, Aug. 7.—Epoca expresses satisfaction at the Bank of Spain's returns up to Aug. 4, the gold reserve showing 1,717,000,000 pesetas, of which 56,000,000 was received last week, and 27,000,000 the preceding week. The total metallic reserve is 2,553,000,000 pesetas. The paper money issued amounts to 2,584,000,000 thus guaranteed to over 98 per cent.

# BEGIN WORK ON WAR PURCHASES

Washington, Aug. 7. — The newly created war industries board today went to work on its big war purchasing program for the United States and her allies, after a preliminary conference with President Wilson. Among the first problems to be solved was that of co-ordinating American and Allied purchases. This probably will be done through Bernard M. Baruch, member of the board, who is to be named purchasing commissioner for each allied government, and who also will be chairman of the war industries board's purchasing commission for the American government.

Some difficulty is looked for in the effort to buy for the Allies at the same low prices obtained by the United States government. Many producers already have entered protest saying their government prices are far below the market.

# 7,000 RUSH WORK ON ROCKFORD CAMP

Rockford, Ill., Aug. 7.—With more than half of Uncle Sam's Illinois training city standing ready for occupancy of selective service troops and Major Dwight H. Sawyer's construction army of 7,000 men working like a well oiled machine, authorities at Camp Grant are satisfied that the last nail will be driven and the last road graded before Sept. 1.

To bolster this conclusion Captain Frederick Krause, Quartermaster in charge of supplies, has completed his requisitions for 35,000 rations to be delivered September first and fifteenth in addition to 25,000 rations ordered for August delivery to supply military units on guard and detailed to construction duty here. Items in the September food supply requisition, framed for the palates of the state draft include 1,101,202 pounds of flour, 210,000 pounds of sugar, 157,000 pounds bacon, 15,000 pounds corn beef, 78,800 pounds beans and 36,000 cans of salmon.

Orders for the mammoth food supply are made through the central department quartermaster's office where bids have been opened for the great government contracts to be distributed to cantonments in this department.

# U. OF I. AVIATION SCHOOL SUCCESS

## 100 Have Finished Aeronautics Course There.

Champaign, Aug. 7.—With the graduation of 39 student aviators from the University of Illinois ground school next Saturday, nearly 100 men who will go to France to fly have completed the preliminary instruction in aeronautics here.

The group, composed of Squadron H, is the largest yet to graduate

The school here is growing by leaps and bounds, nearly 300 receiving instruction. Fifty new students are arriving Monday, double the number at the beginning of the term. Major Krapf is in charge.

The following are the graduates, a number of prominent athletes being included:

Anderson, R., Bealmear, W. A.; Biggerstaff, Kenzee; Breiling, W. H.; Bogert, C. P.; Butler, A. J.; Davidson, J. C.; Davis, W. D.; Diekema, W. A.; Dillon, R. P.; Dixon, George G; Evans, E. E.; Evans, F. E.; Finkenstaed, H. L.; Franzheim, A. K.; Graham, P. W. (member of 1916 football team of Chicago university); Greist, E. H.; Hahn, E.; Henry, W. L.; Hopkins, L. P.; Jones, C. S.; Kirtland, J. O. Krogstad, E. B. (tackle of Cornell university in 1914); Leonard, W. J.; Loud, H. E.; Luder, L. J.; MacDonald, E. K.; Melin, C. R.; Morri, P. J.; Morsbach, R. E.; Christrom, G. L.; Popperfuss, H. L.; Roberts, C. H.; Roberts, M. J.; Simmons, V. H.; Wiss J. B.; Deering, W., son of Deering Farm Machinery Manufacturer

# WILSON CONFERS ON PRICE REGULATIONS

Washington, Aug. 7. — President Wilson took a hand today in the government's plans for regulation of prices and conferred with officials who have the work in charge. First, he went to the Federal Trade Commission and then went to the Department of Justice. Both departments are working on keeping prices on materials for the government's war needs down to a reasonable basis.

## Fiancee of Commander Killed by U-Boat Shell

New York, Aug. 7.—Hans von Teubinger commanded the U-boat that killed his own fiancee, Minna Larsen, according to Lars Larsen, Swedish skipper.

Larsen said the girl—his daughter—and Von Teubinger were engaged in Stockholm before the war.

After a submarine shell had killed Minna aboard Larsen's schooner, the Baldar, he declared, he recognized his prospective son-in-law on the U-boat deck directing the firing.

# NO GREAT DISORDER IN RUSSIA, SAYS ROOT

## Disturbances Not Much Greater Than in U. S., Declares Envoy.

Chicago, Aug. 7.—Elihu Root, who with other members of the American mission to Russia, which has completed its work, was in Chicago today, said that as a matter of fact, there is scarcely more disorder in Russia than there is in the United States.

"Certain disturbances are inevitable in a change of government so radical as that of Russia," said Mr. Root, "and cable dispatches deal largely with these disturbances. Hence the public has gained an impression that there is little going on in Russia except demonstrations. As a matter of fact, if reports on American affairs, disseminated in Russia concentrated on our own little disturbances—race riots, the I. W. W., and the like—Russians would have about the same picture of us that we now have of them. I have faith in the new Russian ministry, and in the Russian future as an important element in the aims of the Allies. Russian women are doing a wonderful work in shaming the men into fighting, and where necessary, I hope American women will follow their example."

# URGE SEIZURE OF MINES TO REDUCE HIGH COAL PRICE

## Governor Has Power to Take Over Property Unless Fuel Cost Is Cut.

Chicago, Aug. 7.—Seizure and operation of Illinois coal mines by the state for the benefit of the consumers was suggested today at the meeting of the Illinois State Council of Defense, as a solution of the coal problem if the coal mine operators refuse to lower fuel prices.

GOVERNOR HAS POWER.

Reporting behind closed doors to the state council, Levy Mayer, Chicago lawyer and chairman of the council committee on law and legislation, told the council that the governor has the power under the constitution of the state of Illinois to seize the coal mines and operate them if necessary unless the operators agree to equitable prices for their output.

At previous meetings of the state council of defense, and of its committees, announcement was made that drastic action would be asked to settle the disagreement between the council which is seeking lower prices for Illinois coal, and the mine operators who have protested that the prices arranged at the recent federal conference, from $2.75 to $3.75 at the mine mouth should not be disturbed.

PLAN UP TO LOWDEN.

While no authoritative statement was forthcoming, it was said that the question of seizing the coal mines, and operating them under state authority had been presented to Governor Frank O. Lowden. In support of the plan it was urged that its adoption would do away with the necessity for calling a special session of the legislature to consider the coal question.

In presenting the report of the committee which was voluminous, numerous citations were made supporting the constitutionality of the state taking over the operation of the mines.

8 GOVERNORS TO MEET SOON.

Presentation of the sensational plan to obtain cheaper fuel met with long discussion in the state council. It was considered probable that a similar suggestion would be made to the governors' conference which has been called for an early date to consider the question of supplying the consumers of eight states in the middle west with fuel at a reasonable price.

Governor Lowden has agreed to meet the governors of Indiana, Michigan, Wisconsin, Iowa, Missouri, Kentucky and Ohio, and to discuss with them plans for uniform action on coal prices.

# ENTENTE LEADERS CONFER IN LONDON

London, Aug. 7.—A conference of the representatives of the Entente Allies, a continuation of the Paris conference was commenced in London this morning. David Lloyd George, the British premier, presided.

Among those present at the conference were Premier Ribot and Minister of War Painleve, of France; Baron Sonnino, the Italian foreign minister; A. J. Balfour, the British foreign secretary and Arthur Henderson, and other members of the British war cabinet. All the Entente Allies, in fact, were represented by either ambassadors, ministers, or special representatives.

# Who Will Be Foreign Minister In Germany?

## Big Political Problem Is Raised Following Cabinet Shake-up.

Copenhagen, Aug. 7.—Will Dr. von Kuehlmann or Dr. Karl Helfferich, vice chancellor, be the real director of foreign policy under the administration of Dr. Michaelis, the imperial German chancellor? This is the political problem of the hour in connection with the shake-up of cabinets in Germany. It is known the versatile Dr. Helfferich desires to have a hand in steering Germany's new course in world politics after the war ,and it is rumored that the new chancellor, unacquainted as he is with international affairs, desires to retain the ex-bank director (Dr. Helfferich) as his special adviser and mouthpiece, particularly for this field.

INDISPENSABLE FOR PEACE.

In fact, one of the avowed reasons for Dr. Helfferich's retention, despite his unpopularity in the reichstag, was that his services are indispensable in peace negotiations. The Berlin Tageblatt, the Lokal Anzeiger, and the Vossische Zeitung all refer to the possibility of a conflict, as Dr. von Kuehlmann, it is understood, is disinclined to permit himself to be relegated to a subordinate place.

FEATURE OF SHAKE-UP.

A second feature of the shake-up is the consideration shown the Catholic Centre party, whose demand for representation in the imperial and Prussian cabinets for the Roman Catholic population was recognized by the appointment of three Roman Catholics, Spahn, Waldow and Kuehlmann. With a revelation of the anti-Jesuit and Polish expropriation laws, also part of the Centrist program, that party is considered to have done very well as a result of the parliamentary crisis.

DISSATISFIED WITH NEW MEMBERS.

The Tages Zeitung shows its dissatisfaction in a short, cool, noncommittal paragraph of greeting to the new administration, and by giving far more space to sketches of the departing statesmen than biographies of the new appointees. Herr Zimmermann, ex-foreign secretary, in an article in the Lokal Anzeiger, avoids Dr. Michaelis for jettisoning those tried and trusty officials in favor of political novices of untried worth. The Vossische Zeitung severely criticizes the appointments of Dr. Helfferich and Dr. von Kuehlmann, on the ground that both favor the rapprochement of England and not of Russia as a basis of post-bellum policy. It says Dr. Helfferich was Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg's evil genius in foreign affairs, who first delayed unrestricted submarining by setting out statistics, and then discredited it by impossible predictions.

Theodore Wolff, editor of the Tageblatt, scoffs at all the appointments except that of Dr. von Kuehlmann, whom he advises to use his elbows vigorously to gain room to run his own department and prevent intrusion by Dr. Helfferich.

## GREAT WESTERN OPENS AT PEORIA

Peoria, Aug. 7.—Horsemen from all parts of the middle west and 200 horses are quartered here for the opening Great Western Harness association meeting of the year today. Thirteen races are on the week's program and purses amounting to $7,000 have been offered. The entry list is the largest in years.

## THE WEATHER

Chicago, Aug. 7.—Following are the weather indications for Illinois for thirty-six hours, ending at 7 p. m. Wednesday:

**Showers this afternoon, followed by partly cloudy weather tonight and Wednesday; not much change in temperature.**

WEATHER MAP.

Chicago, Aug. 6.—The weather map at 8 a.m. today, showed:

Canadian Northwest—Cloudy; 42 to 64 above. Edmonton, .28; Calgary, .30; Battleford, .58; Swift Current, .08. Prince Albert, .08; Regina, .34; raining at Medicine Hat.

Northwest—Generally cloudy; 50 to 58 above. St. Paul, 1.28; Pierre, .52; Huron, .26.

West—Cloudy; 56 to 70 above. Peoria, .08; raining at Dubuque, .46; Charles City, .24; Valentine, .42, raining at Davenport, .06; Sioux City, 1.88; Omaha, 1.58; Keokuk, .06. Springfield, .28; Chicago, trace.

Southwest—Cloudy; 60 to 72 above. Columbia, 1.24; Kansas city, 1.08; Concordia, .60; Dodge City, .28; Wichita, 1.20; Iola, 1.24. Oklahoma City, .06; Springfield, Mo., .28; St. Joseph, 2.30; St. Louis, .24.

Ohio Valley—Cloudy, 70 to 72 above. Indianapolis, .62; Cincinnati, .38.

IN IOWA AND ILLINOIS.

Weather conditions in Iowa and Illinois cities at 11 a.m. today:

Decatur—Raining, 60.
Clinton, Ia.—Cloudy; 76
Aurora—Rain; 72.
Rock Island—Cloudy, 72
Davenport, Ia.—Cloudy, 72.
Moline—Cloudy; 73.
Muscatine, Ia.—Part cloudy, 75.
Ottumwa, Ia.—Cloudy; 78.
Burlington, Ia.—Part cloudy; 80.
Bloomington—Rain, 75.
Springfield—Rain, 74.
Danville—Clear, 76.
Cedar Rapids, Ia.—Cloudy, 78.
Peoria—Rain; 68.
Dubuque, Ia.—Cloudy; 65.
Champaign—Part cloudy, 78.
Quincy—Clear; 74.

LOCAL OBSERVATIONS.

Following is the range of temperature as recorded by Prof. J. H. Conradt, United States weather observer:

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| 7 p.m. Monday | 74 |
| 7 a.m. Tuesday | 68 |
| Noon Tuesday | 78 |
| Highest Monday | 82 |
| Lowest Tuesday | 68 |
| Precipitation | .55 |
| Sun rises (Standard time) | 5.03 |
| Sun sets | 7.00 |

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# 60 OF 85 PASS IN SHELBY COUNTY

## Higher Average Physical Fitness on Second Day.

Shelbyville, Aug. 7—Shelby county's exemption board struck a much higher average of physical fitness when they began the examination Monday morning of the second section of 110 men summoned to appear before the board. While out of 106 examined Saturday only 59 were accepted as physically fit, 60 out of the 85 examined Monday foregoon were passed by the examining physicians as being of sufficiently good health and bodily condition as to qualify for Uncle Sam's fighting ranks.

THOSE ACCEPTED SATURDAY.

The list of men accepted Saturday, subject to revision, is as follows:

Samuel W. West, Moweaqua.
Chan L. Pawley, Westervelt.
Ross H. Mechling, Shumway.
John J. Malone, Shelbyville
Roy C. Rhodes, Tower Hill.
Ralph Fawcett, Tower Hill
Philip L. Cutler, Shelbyville.
Chas. R. Rosine, Strasburg.
George Syfert, Beecher City
Rudolph A. Hennings, Shelbyville.
Albert J. F. Lenz, Strasburg.
Earl A. Smith, Oconee.
Leverett Martin, Shelbyville.
Hollis L. Middleton, Shelbyville
Homer H. Riley, Tower Hill.
Harry W. Belles, Stewardson.
Ross W. Henry, Shelbyville.
Cleve A. Askins, Lakewood.
Chas. H. Strohl, Clarksburg.
C. Teddy Weakly, Moweaqua.
Russell G. Compton, Mode.
Harry Bland, Strasburg.
Russell S. Kinkade, Windsor.
Martin J. Noffke, Strasburg.
Geo. A. Fouste, Strasburg.
Henry P. Eisele, Moweaqua.
James H. Stringer, Moweaqua.
Nicholas Anderson, Oconee.
James Simms, Moweaqua.
Wayne W. Hanson, Windsor.
Reuel M. Good, Shelbyville.
George E. Shipley, Lakewood
Fred E. Womack, Findlay.
Linder Milligan, Tower Hill
Tracy M. Hoy, Assumption.
Austin Mosely, Findlay.
Ray Young, Neoga
George P. Dowd, Moweaqua.
William S. Robinson, Findlay.
Ray Jordan, Findlay.
Clarence Bixler, Findlay.
Ray W. Furcell, Bethany.
Batsie A. Godwin, Tower Hill
Harry F. Campbell, Mode.
Elmer Wiley, Clarksburg.
John T. Gregory, Moweaqua.
Chas. W. Hott, Findlay.
Harvey H. Bunkel, Tower Hill
Russel S. Griffin, Shelbyville.
Elzy F. Florey, Shelbyville.
John B. Donnell, Findlay.
Howard G. Simpson, Moweaqua
Vance J. Huffmaster, Stewardson
Bennie W. Fowler, Shelbyville.
Charlie B. Behens, Findlay.
John Scribner, Findlay.
Theo Morrell, Moweaqua.
Cloyd Wright, Cowden
Harry C. Stewardson, Findlay.

JAILED FOR ASSAULT.

J. C. Osterday of Ash Grove township was arrested Sunday on a warrant charging him with assaulting Howard May, on whom he is said to have used a pair of "knucks." The altercation between the two men took place Saturday night. Osterday was brought to Shelbyville by Deputy Sheriff Will T. Biggs, and is in the county jail awaiting a hearing on Wednesday.

HIT TRAFFIC COP

George Tull was fined $50 and costs late Saturday night, for assaulting an officer. The complaining witness, who bears the visible marks of Tull's blows, is William Fought, special traffic officer stationed at the corner of Morgan and North Ninth streets. An altercation took place between the two men Saturday evening when Tull, who drives an auto-bus, is said by Fought to have violated the traffic rules at the busy corner. The officer is said to have struck Tull, who leaped from his car and assaulted Fought. His arrest and fine followed.

NEW DENTIST.

Dr. W. L. White, whose home is at Vandalia, has purchased the dental office and business of Dr. G. C. Fraker, over the Busy Bee, and took possession Monday. Dr. Fraker, who has been in the practice of his profession here for fifteen years or more will retire to give his attention to his farming interests.

Dr. White is a recent graduate from Washington University, St. Louis. He is married, but Mrs. White will not come to this city for a month or so.

AUTOS COLLIDE.

A Jeffries seven-passenger automobile driven by Mr. Sarver of Assumption, collided with a Ford owned and driven by Grant Forsyth on North Broadway Sunday afternoon. The collision occurred at a street intersection. "Jeffries" got the worst of the encounter, sustaining a bent axle, damaged steering gear and a broken fender.

D. F. RICHARDSON, 79

D. F. Richardson reached his 79th birthday anniversary Saturday, August 4. He spent the day quietly, in his customary pursuits. Mr. Richardson, who until a few months ago was president of the Citizens National bank, came to Shelbyville when he was fourteen years old. He came from Kentucky, where his father and the illustrious Henry Clay were playmates in their boyhood.

PROPERTY SALES.

Two pieces of property on North Walnut street have changed ownership within the last few days, and another on an adjoining street also has changed hands. Judge A. J. Steidley has purchased the Dr. O. C. Brown residence, and Mrs. James Davis of Millersville, mother of Mrs. S. S. Crook, has purchased the William Phillips residence property a little further north.

County Superintendent Lee W. Frazer has sold the residence he acquired a few months ago in a trade with Mrs. Frances Welsh to City Superintendent William Harris and has purchased the house formerly occupied by Will R. Hart.

The newly elected non-high school district board of education of Shelby county held a meeting in this city Saturday, for purposes of organization. The three members, E. N. Thompson, W. G. Rice and C. W. Kesler, drew "cuts" to determine the length of term of each, and this resulted in Mr. Thompson being made the member for the three-year term, Mr. Rice for two years and Mr. Kesler for one year. Mr. Thompson was made president of the board.

County Superintendent Frazer and County Treasurer Sam Tilley are ex-officio secretary and treasurer of the board.

The annual teachers' institute opened at the high school in this city Monday morning, under the direction of County Superintendent L. W. Frazer and his assistant, Dr. O. O. Barker. The first-day attendance was fully up to the standard set in other years.

## PAN-AMERICAN'S FINE CATALOGUES

**First shipment of Frames for Cars; Arrives—Bodies Here this Week.**

Two copies of the new Pan American catalogue reached town Monday and it is certainly a fine example of the printer's and engravers' art. Mote of the catalogues will arrive in a day or so and will be ready for distribution to the trade.

The first big shipment of frames arrived at the factory Saturday, bodies will be in by express this week and the actual organization for the efficient assembling of cars will start within a day or so.

The paint shop and upholstering shop have been equipped, the side track is being made ready for freight shipments and the plant should be on a going manufacturing basis within the next few days.

# THIRD OF DOUGLAS CONSCRIPTS FAIL

## Two Newman Slackers Are Registered.

Tuscola, Aug. 7.—The Douglas county board of exemptions began its work of examination of the drafted men Monday morning. Fifty-seven had been notified to report on the first day. Of those notified, three had enlisted since the numbers were drawn and one failed to get to Tuscola, but notified the board he would report on Tuesday, leaving the number examined on Monday only fifty-three.

The original board is composed of G. S. Tarbox of Arcola, as chairman; C. W. Rutherford of Newman, as the physician member, and W. H. Fry of this city, as clerk. In addition to these, there were working Monday as clerks, Harry T. Marsh, Deputy county Clerk Claude Hawkins and Mrs. Emma Peck as stenographer. Extra physicians who assisted with the physical examinations included Dr. McCain of Arcola, and Dr. W. E. Rice, of this city.

Of those examined Monday about one-third were rejected as physically unfit and six or seven were exempted on condition.

SLACKERS REGISTER.

The young men who failed to register and who were visited by a federal officer on Saturday came in and registered late Saturday evening.

Clifford Cullison, the 18-months-old son of Deputy Sheriff William Cullison, was seriously injured Monday by being kicked by a horse. The Cullison family occupies the residence portion of the front of the county jail. On Monday morning the delivery boy for the Cedusky meat market drove up in front of the jail to deliver an order, driving up near the sidewalk and throwing out the block to which his horse was hitched. While the delivery man was making the delivery, the little boy wandered along the sidewalk near the horse, when the horse whirled and kicked the child. It was thought at first that he was fatally injured, but he was revived Monday evening and the attending physician believes he will recover.

Charles Mason was at Newman Monday.

Decatur visitors Monday were: Fred Goodman, Mrs. Plum Winn and sister, Mrs. William Howe.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Johnson of Decatur, spent Sunday here with Mr. Johnson's brother Roy.

HOME FROM VACATION.

Rev. A. A. White and wife returned Monday from their vacation trip up into the headwaters of the Tennessee river. They went to St. Louis and took a river steamer via Cairo, Paducah, Ky., and the Ohio river into the Tennessee. They went as far as Pittsburg Landing, Tenn., and stopped off to visit the historic battlefields of the Civil war. They spent Sunday in Springfield, where Rev. Mr. White preached on Sunday morning, and then drove to Decatur later in the day, where they stayed until Monday morning.

Fred Michener left Monday for a ten-days' buying trip in the wholesale markets of Chicago and New York.

Mr. and Mrs. William Snyder of Champaign, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carey Snyder Sunday.

Howard Thomas of Newman, was here Monday.

Edward Beall and family and Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Jones attended the chautauqua at Shelbyville Sunday.

Arthur Ten Brook of Kansas City Mo., who made a short visit with his parents in Tuscola, left Sunday for his home. His family remained here for a time.

J. J. Hackett was in Danville Monday.

Perry Gates left Monday afternoon for Kansas City.

Fred Kelley, who is traveling as a salesman and who has been spending his vaction at his home here, returned to St. Louis Monday. His territory is in Missouri and Iowa.

Circuit Clerk H. B. Morgan and F. H. Jones left Monday for a short trip to their respective farms in Missouri.

# VANDALIA BOY DROWNS IN RIVER

Vandalia, Aug. 7—Ross Blankinship, son of Edward Blankinship, south of this city, was drowned Sunday at the river. He was in shallow water, but made a step off into a deep hole and was drowned before help could reach him. The pulmotor was sent at once from Vandalia but too late to save his life. He was 18 years of age and leaves a young widow, his parents and other relatives.

Mrs. A. C. Stanfield and son, Ralph, came down from Pana Monday to see her grandmother, Mrs. L. Sturgess, who is ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. F. Easterday.

The funeral of James Goodin was conducted from the Baptist church Monday afternoon, by Rev. Mr. Syfert. The deceased was about 65 and leaves the widow and one daughter, Mrs. Edward Kloss, and one son, Fred, of this city.

## HAMMOND.

The following, and the first men to be called from Hammond for examination for military service are: John Neff, Fred O. South, Hugh Fisher, Frank Brandt, David Lust, William Huff, Vade Aschermann, Ray Fonder and Emery Traxler.

C. E. Leathers and brother, Herman, were here from La Place Sunday morning. Gordon Kay of Montezuma, Ind., was the guest of his brother, A. L. Kay, here Sunday. Gordon will have charge of the C. I. & W. station at Listner for a while.

Charles Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Brown, left the first of the week for Colorado, where they will make their home.

Miss Elma South of Decatur, spent the week-end with her parents, A. J. South and wife.

J. W. Dick and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dick and baby Paul, were business visitors in Sullivan Saturday.

Mrs. Arthur L. Kay visited her sister in Bethany over Sunday.

Oliver Brown was here from Decatur the first of the week the guest of his mother, Mrs. Margaret Brown.

The Misses Tracy left the first of the week for a visit in Delphi, Ind., and they will also visit their brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. William Tracy in Danville before they return.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Eskridge, Aug. 2, a son.

Paul Silner and Merritt Hulburt, who are stationed at Decatur as members of Company L were visiting here Sunday.

Miss Baker and Miss Fisher were Hammond visitors Saturday evening. They will be teachers in the school here during the fall and winter term.


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Squeeze the juice of two lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of orchard white, shake well, and you have a quarter pint of the best freckle and tan lotion, and complexion beautifier, at very, very small cost.

Your grocer has the lemons and any drug store or toilet counter will supply three ounces of orchard white for a few cents. Massage this sweetly fragrant lotion into the face, neck, arms and hands each day and see how freckles and blemishes disappear and how clear, soft and white the skin becomes. Yes! It is harmless.



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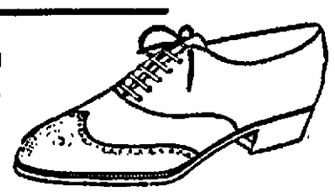

Ladies' White Sport Oxfords, with rubber soles; $2.00 value ..... **98c**

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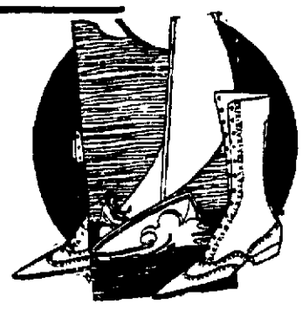

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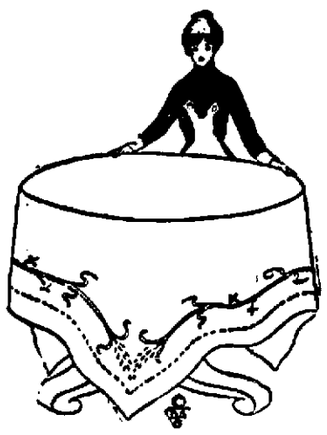
Extensive purchases of dependable linens made in advance of the price increases make it possible for us to place on sale quantities of high-grade linens in the wanted varieties at prices which, in view of present market conditions, represent truly notable savings.

Advertised here are certain items that we likely shall be unable to duplicate at any price. There are many other items which we are pricing now at about what they would cost us on today's market. In all instances the prices should interest discerning housewives.

*Bleached Mercerized Damask by the Yard*

Bleached Mercerized Damask, 60 in. wide, yd.—25c
Bleached Mercerized Damask, 72 in. wide, yd.—59c
Bleached Mercerized Damask, 72 in. wide, yd.—75c
Bleached Mercerized Damask, 72 in. wide, yd.—$1.00
Bleached Mercerized Damask, 72 in. wide, yd.—$1.25
Bleached All-Linen Damask, 70 in. wide, yd.—$1.69
Bleached All-Linen Damask, 70 in. wide, yd.—$1.95
Bleached All-Linen Damask, 70 in. wide, yd.—$2.25



*Pattern Table Cloths, Special*

All-Linen Pattern Table Cloths, 72x72-inch size, square cloths, round designs, priced special —$3.95.

All-Linen Pattern Table Cloths, 68x68-inch size, in square designs, priced special this sale —$3.45.

All-Linen Pattern Table Cloths, 70x90-inch size, heavy quality real Irish linen, special qualities —$5.62.

All-Linen Pattern Table Cloths for extra large table, 81x81-inch size, in round designs; August Linen sale—$6.75.

Irish Linen Pattern Table Cloths for 60-inch top. They are in round designs and of an extra fine quality Irish linen—$10.50.

All-Linen Round Table Cloths, the 72x72-inch size, in scalloped patterns; specially good values in August sale—$5.

*Interesting Values in Napkins in August Sales*

Hemmed Napkins, ready for use, 18x18-inch size, in pretty floral patterns; a dozen—$1.45.

Linen Napkins, 18x18-inch size, floral and conventional designs; a limited quantity; a dozen—$2.25.

"Indian Head" Napkins, 18x18-inch size; practical for every-day table use. Sale price, a dozen—69c.

All-Linen Napkins, 20x20-inch size, of very good quality; a limited quantity of these; a dozen—$3.45.

*Tray Cloths, Side Board Scarfs, Lunch Cloths, Etc.*

Mercerized Tray Cloths, 17x25-inch size, in pretty floral patterns. August Sale, each—15c.

Damask Tray Cloths, all-linen, double-hemstitched damask; 18x36-inch size; only a few and no more to be had, each—75c.

All-linen Sideboard Scarfs, damask, plain with satin band and double hemstitched all around, each—$1.50.

Damask Lunch Cloths, all-linen, scalloped patterns in round and square designs, 39x39-inch size, special—$1.75.

Lunch Cloths of all-linen damask, embroidered, with double hemstitching; 36x36-inch size, each—$3.50.

Linen Scarfing, 18 inches wide; a fabric that is much in demand now; very good quality, a yard—35c.

*August Sales Towels and Toweling*

Huck Towels, 18x36-inch size; all white towels of a good serviceable quality; special, each —15c.

Huck Towels, 60 per cent linen; hemstitched and hemmed towels, 19x38-inch size; a towel that launders soft and fine; each—25c.

All-Linen Huck Towels, fine quality; double-hemstitched; a fine quality, soft towel, all ready for use without laundrying; a limited quantity, while they last—85c.

Turkish Bath Towels; heavy grade, all-white towels; 22x45-inch size; special quality; each—29c.

Crash Toweling, 17 inches wide, half linen crash with red and blue borders; a yard—15c.

Crash Toweling, 18 inches wide, all-linen and all-white with red and blue borders; an excellent quality; no more to be had now at any price; while this lot lasts, a yard—30c.

*Sheets, Pillow Cases and Sheeting*

Bleached Sheets, 81x90-inch size; torn and hemmed sheets of a good medium weight and fine quality; each—$1.00.

Bleached sheeting, 9-4 sheeting, an excellent quality, with a soft finish; very interesting value; a yard—40c.

Pillow Cases, scalloped styles, 42x36 inches and 45x36 inches in size; good quality cases at, each—30c.

Bed Spreads; Ripple dimity and Devon dimity; very pretty summer quilts; 80x90-inch size—$1.85 and $2.00.

"Hope" Muslin—the genuine, 36-inch fine, soft finish; the best all-purpose muslin made; here, a yard—15c.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# BIG CROWDS FOR MONTICELLO SHOW

## Exhibit Aug. 21-24 One of Best in Country.

Monticello, Aug 7 — The Horse Show at the Piatt county fair on Aug. 21, 22, 23 and 24 will be one of the biggest and most important horse shows held in the United States this year. Magnificent purses and attractive classes have been arranged and a general invitation to horse show exhibitors throughout the country, to bring their choice stock to this horse show and compete for the generous purses L. C. Burgess, who has this department of the fair in charge, assures the public that from the entries he has already booked and the many inquiries and promises and reservations for stable room, that the number of horses to be seen this year will nearly double the list of last year

PREMIUMS INCREASED.

It is not necessary to speak here of the success of the horse show department of last year, the people who were there and saw it are the best advertisement the association will need. Again the management has increased the premiums and this year they run into a princely figure and are all well worth showing for Forty-nine classes are offered and everyone is guaranteed no matter how many entries are received Exhibitors will know that they are competing for sure money, and visitors may be certain that they will see an excellent exhibition in front of the grand stand each afternoon and evening of the fair

INTERESTING COMPETITION.

The liberality of the purses offered makes it possible for a number of exhibitors to win substantial premiums with the result that each class will be filled with many competitors. Beautiful thoroughbred horses trained to the excitement of the ring, enter into the spirit of the competition with vim and vigor They seem to know they are showing their good graces in competition against other thoroughbreds and each horse attempts to show off to the very best. It has the opinion of many horse experts that last year's show was the finest in the country.

Horses were brought from every part of this state, also Kentucky, Missouri Iowa, Tennessee, Indiana, Minnesota, Michigan, New York and other states The enthusiasm of the exhibitors over the horse show was marked and even those who were accustomed to visiting all of the large horse shows of the east expressed their appreciation at seeing as fine a show as was given in Monticello last year Every evening at eight o'clock classes to the number of eight or nine will be shown and the complete program for each evening will be announced later


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**If your hair is thinning out, lifeless, full of dandruff, and your head itches like mad, it's a sure sign of the dangerous dandruff germ, and quick action must be taken to save what hair you have and start a new growth. Don't wait until the hair root is dead, for then nothing can help you, but get from your druggist four ounces of Parisian sage—it don't cost much and there is nothing you could use that's any better. Dr. Sangerhound, the famous Paris specialist, discovered that dandruff and falling hair are caused by a microb—then came the discovery of the value of Parisian sage (liquid form) to destroy this germ, prevent falling hair and the formation of dandruff. A few massages with Parisian sage are all that are usually needed and very soon you should be able to see the new hairs coming in. Parisian sage is woman's favorite hair dressing, because it will not stain and makes the hair lustrous, soft and fluffy. Be sure you get Parisian sage (Glover's), for this brand is guaranteed. Decatur Drug Co., can supply you.**


### ATWOOD.

The Camp Fire Girls of the Atwood high school will picnic at Piper's lake near Sullivan this week There are eighteen girls and Miss Ruth Lancaster, who taught in the high school here last year, came Saturday and she will accompany the young women and act as chaperon for the party

A number from here attended the chautauqua at Charleston Sunday to hear Mme Schuman Heink in the afternoon. Among the number were Mr. and Mrs. William Myers Misses Edna and Grace White Nellie McLean, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gilmore and Margaret Burger.

Mrs Nell Iwen and two daughters returned to their home in Indianapolis last Friday Mrs L S Garrett and daughter Ethel, accompanied them home for a short visit

Miss Willie Echardt returned to Atwood Sunday after spending the week with her uncle, John Burke and family, near Hourlton

Mrs G W Rippey entertained her niece, Miss Cora Bush of Danville last week

Mr and Mrs Sutton are spending a few days in Havana and attending the chautauqua

Miss Ollie Burnett of Waverly visited her cousins Misses Myrtle and Nellie McLain last week

Mrs A A Moshberger of Decatur visited friends and relatives here last week

Walt and Edgar Burger are in Chicago this week attending the Retailers Commercial Union association meeting

Mrs. M. G. Moore, who was operated on in the Decatur hospital, was brought home Wednesday Her sister Mrs. Bliss, of California, is here for a visit.

Mrs Don Hammett and children of Fairbury, returned home Saturday after spending a week with Mr and Mrs W. E. Day Mrs Day accompanied them home for a few days visit

Jack Stitt of Memphis Tenn visited his mother Mrs Joseph Merritt and brother, Louis Stitt last week

R M Saniger of Decatur was in town Thursday

Mrs Margaret Stover returned home Friday from a visit with her sister, Mrs. Simon Bennett at Bismarck Ind

Richard Thompson of Blue Mound visited his grand-daughter Mrs George Ware and family a few days last week

The Red Cross society will hold an ice cream social at the Horton & Collins' grain office Saturday evening

Mrs L. P. Kemper of Siloam Springs Ark is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Dillon Hofgus

Clarance Martin and little son of Oklahoma visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J B Martin last week

Miss Blackwell who has been attending the summer term of school at the Chicago university returned home last week

John Browning left last Monday morning for Ft Snelling Minn

Paul Fisher who has been visiting relatives here returned to Stanford Mont, last Saturday His mother, Margaret Fisher accompanied him as far as Stockton where she will visit her son James Fisher and wife

Miss Mollie Gross of Decatur visited her brother A H Gross over Sunday.

J A Kamm of Champaign came Thursday for a visit with relatives

# 80 BUSHEL OATS YIELD AT PANA

## All Crops in Fine Condition, Says Report.

Pana, Aug. 7—Oats threshing has started around Pana and the yield of all fields threshed is highly satisfactory. The average yield of 60 bushels per acre is far in excess of that of previous years. John Kirkbride of west of Pana realized 80 bushels to the acre. Many who have not threshed are expecting a big yield

PAY 60 CENTS FOR OATS.

The price paid here Monday for oats was 58 and 60 cents. This is the first year oats have proved of commercial value to the farmer. The price and fine yield combined enable the producer to realize money from his oats. Heretofore they were raised for practically feeding purposes only, the farmer marketing the surplus grain at less than a money making basis

41 BUSHEL WHEAT YIELD.

The price paid here for wheat Monday was $2 30 per bushel. The largest yield of any one crop reported is that of Harry Waddington of Rosemond. His land produced 41 bushels to the acre. More farmers are said to be threshing at Rosemond and Ohlman than around Pana and the shipments from these stations are remarkable.

CAR OF WHEAT WORTH $3,000.

One car of wheat was billed out of Rosemond Saturday for $3,000 to a St Louis market One Pana bank reports the handling of $12,000 worth of wheat checks in one day the last of this week This includes Rosemond and Ohlman business Only a limited amount of old corn is in the market The price paid is $2 20 for yellow corn and $2 22 per bushel for white

CORN DOING FINE.

One farmer during a visit to Pana Saturday said it was his opinion that corn had improved at least 100 per cent during the past two weeks This farmer further called attention to the fact that this is the first time in the history of central Illinois that all three crops had happened along simultaneously with high prices. One crop was always a failure, either of corn wheat or oats Hay is meager in its yield but at the price who should worry

Pana people who have acquaintances in Green county, Ill, are informed the crops there are as fine as in Christian and will compare the same only in the bottom lands of that county Wheat is said to surpass anything ever dreamed of and the acreage is great. Threshing will begin there this week.

GARDENS IN BEST CONDITION.

Recent rains have increased the local production for a variety of garden products Two weeks ago gardens were seriously effected with the dry weather The vegetation not entirely ruined, however, has improved greatly

Local fruit during this season of the year is not plentiful with the exception of apples, they are retailing at 20 cents a peck. Blackberries do not appear to be abundant and are selling at 60 cents a gallon. Shipped in fruits are high; white grapes are 20 cents a pound; peaches 40 cents a dozen; plums 20 cents a dozen; bananas 20 cents a dozen.

Watermelons are shipped in by the barrel instead of car load and are selling at three cents a pound. Cantaloupes are 10 cents each.

POTATOES 50 CENTS PECK.

Other retail prices are: Potatoes 50 cents a peck; sweet corn, 20 cents a dozen; egg plant, 10 cents each, tomatoes, 7 cents a pound; cabbage, 4 cents, cucumbers, 30 cents a dozen, spring chickens, 25 cents and hens 18 cents Eggs continue at 35 cents a dozen Creamery butter is 45 cents and country butter is 35 cents Milk advanced here this week from 8 cents a quart to 10 cents. This is the first time milk has ever retailed in Pana at this price.

# LAKE CITY LAND BRINGS $225 ACRE

Lovington, Aug. 7.—The heirs of the Elizabeth Dixon estate sold 41 acres of their farm northwest of town Monday to Will Bailey of Lake City for $200 per acre.

Will Bailey sold 120 acres of land near Lake City the last of the week to Will Hayes of Decatur at $225 per acre.

J. O. and Sherman Hartzel and families of Windsor, G. J. and Mrs Curry and J. V. Tressler and family of Strassburg and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Blue, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hood of Shelbyville were the guests of Silas Curry and family Sunday.

Mrs. T. A. Adams and family of Newman spent Sunday here with friends

Rev. C. C. and Roy Hill spent Sunday in Oakland.

Misses Sarah and Alto Dawson were over from Decatur Sunday spending the day with home folks.

Will Bright and family of Decatur spent Sunday with Sherman Hout and family.

Mrs Will Miller and family of Decatur are visiting Will Duvall and family.

The Missionary society of the Methodist church will meet at the parsonage Thursday afternoon.

Miss Murial McDaniel was over from Decatur Sunday visiting home folks.

Will Thomas went to White Hall Monday to spend a week with relatives

Miss Alberta Brown spent Sunday with friends in Decatur.

Mrs. Capt Penniwell spent Sunday with relatives in Oakland.

C. T Dixon was down from Ogden the first of the week.

Elby Dixon of Galion, O, is visiting relatives here.

Roads are in good condition for autos The light shower Sunday merely laid the dust.

Miss Inis Lee of Decatur is visiting relatives here this week

Rev C C Hill and family are visiting relatives near Mount Vernon this week.

Mrs Clyde Songer of Decatur visited relatives here the last of the week

Mr. and Mrs Joe Hacket and Mrs Eli Dawson returned Sunday from an auto trip to Paris, Mo

Tip Lanum and family were up from Edenburg Sunday visiting relatives

Mrs Martin of Monticello spent Sunday with Mrs Peggie Anderson

Fulton and Joe Dixon of Kansas City are visiting relatives and friends here

W H and Mrs Hesler and Floyd Hesler and family motored to Shelbyville Sunday and attended the chautauqua.

# ASSUMPTION VOTES NEW GRADE SCHOOL

Assumption, Aug 7—On Saturday the voters of the Assumption school district were called upon to decide as to whether the grade schools should be remodelled or new ones built to take their place It was decided to build new buildings and as a result an eight room building will be built in the west side and a two room one in the east side. Bonds or other obligations to the amount of $.0,700 will be issued to finance the enterprise

Friends here have received word of the serious illness of Mrs Eliza Cazalet in Chicago Her niece, Mrs Leone Stapleton of this city, is at her bed side

Miss Nina Heckenstine of Decatur spent the fore part of the week here

Dr. Sam Herdman of Taylorville and sister, Miss Cotilde Harrison spent Sunday at the home of Dr. and Mrs G. J. Rivard

The Ladies Bible class of the M E church enjoyed a picnic at the farm of Wesley Sibley Thursday

The band concert given in the streets this week by the Pana band was largely attended as was the dance in Columbia hall following it.

Mr and Mrs C C. Carrier and children spent Saturday in Pana.

Miss Josie Maber went to Moweaqua Saturday to attend the funeral of Joseph Bradley.

Dr George Rivard of Chicago is visiting his parents, Dr and Mrs G J Rivard

Mr and Mrs William Wilson, Mr and Mrs George Traxler and daughter, Miss Mildred and Rev. A A oGrdmier of Hammond, motored to Assumption last Friday and spent the day with Mr and Mrs William Gilbride, Mr. and Mrs Wilson will remain for an extended visit

Master Boyd Landgrebe of Pierson Station is visiting his cousin, Elden Gilbide

### MONTICELLO.

Mr and Mrs John Vinson and two children of Algona, Iowa, motored here Friday and exect to remain about ten days with Mrs Vinson's brothers, J. D and J. S Mackey.

Virginia Spiker, the three year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs A B. Spiker died Saturday. Funeral services were held at the family home Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock by Rev. W. G Lloyd Interment was in the Monticello cemetery. The little girl had been ill with whooping cough and later complications set in, which caused her death

Miss Beth Lemen, who has been visiting her grand mother, Mrs. Sidney Lemen, has returned to her home in Rockwell City, Ia.

Burr Stallcup of Beaumont, Texas, arrived last Wednesday to visit his father. He expects to remain about three weeks. Mr. Stallcup is a former resident of this city, moving away twelve years ago.

W. A Doss and A. C. Miller and families motored to Bloomington Sunday.

Miss Mildred Long of Streator was a Sunday guest of Miss Estella Kilton.

Miss Daisy Higgins, bookkeeper for the H. P. Martin store has resigned her position and will return to her home in Rockport, Ind. Miss Lois Aiken, will take Miss Higgins' position.

Berlyn Norforth spent Sunday in Springfield with his sister, Mrs. Flossie Wilson.

J. P. Scharle of Chicago visited his daughter, Mrs. J. M. Donahue, here Sunday.

A. C and F. L. Edie and families motored to Decatur Sunday.

Hugh Huffman, Lloyd Medaris, Ralph Brady and Harold Bradley were in Springfield Sunday

William and Asier Dighton left Monday for Chicago where they will spend the next two weeks with relatives

Rev. and Mrs. W. G. Lloyd, Misses Susie Marquiss and Ruth Medaris expect to leave Wednesday in the Lloyd car for Lake Geneva, Wis to spend a couple of weeks.

# RAIN STOPS GAME AT BLUE MOUND

Rain at the end of the Schubros team's bats in the fifth inning put an abrupt end to the Schubro-Blue Mound game at Blue Mound Sunday afternoon, with the Blue Mound team one run in the lead. The Schubro team garnered a run in their half of the fifth inning, but owing to the fact that Blue Mound did not get to bat, the score reverts to the end of the fourth inning when the score stood 2 to 1 in favor of the Blue Mound team.

The batteries were: Blue Mound, Sandon, Benkston and Wilcox; Schubros, Neff and Winholte.


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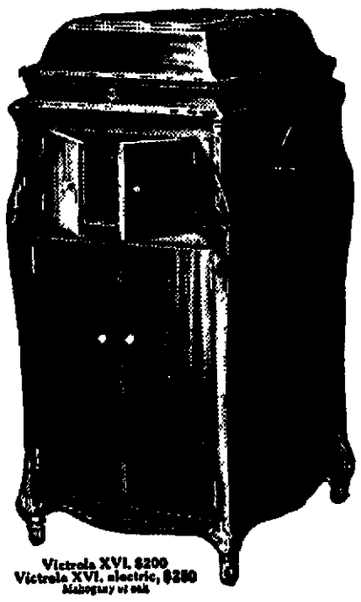

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# SOCIETY

## 25 WOMEN ON BLOOMINGTON TRIP

### Decatur Well Represented at Tri-City Tourney.

### MRS. MORRIS WINNER

### Of Cup Put Up By Mrs. Adolph Mueller.

MRS. R. L. MORRIS won the cup put up by Mrs. Adolph Mueller in the finals of the second flight of the mid-summer tournament at the Country club Monday afternoon. She defeated Mrs. R. D. Moore two up. The semi-finals in the first flight were played with the following results:

Mrs. Harry Van Orman defeated Mrs. W. J. Grady two up, and Mrs. R. O. Conklin defeated Mrs. W. R. Essick three up and two to play. In the finals for the first flight next week Mrs. Van Orman will play Mrs. Conklin.

The play yesterday followed the luncheon which was served on the club house porch at twelve thirty.

The crowd of women going to Bloomington Wednesday keeps growing as the time draws near and now twenty-five intend to go. The car will leave promptly at 10 o'clock and reach Bloomington in time for the luncheon there.

The Springfield women from the third club had intended to give up the trip this week as many of their players were out of town but at the last minute they have decided to go. They have been having a great deal of trouble of late with their greens which are in poor condition and because of that have postponed their invitation to the Bloomington and Decatur clubs until late in September or early in October.

MRS. ALVA WILSON entertained the Tue day Sewing club at her home this afternoon with a Red Cross party. When the guests arrived they were "drafted" into one of four camps and then set to work making sheets for the Red Cross. During the afternoon the Draft was repeated so that each woman had a chance to work in each camp and in that way visit with all of her friends while she was working.

The refreshments were also suggestive of army life for the cake was called at least, "hard tack." The ice cream was red, white and blue and garden flowers were used through the house.

The out of town guests were, Mrs. Don Lawman, Mrs. Lucy Montgomery, and Mrs. Cass.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace W. McDavid returned Monday evening from Petersburg, Ind., where they have been visiting Mrs. McDavid's parents.

Miss Eugenia Allin expects to leave Friday to be away the remainder of the summer. She will go first to Bloomington for a visit with relatives and then she will probably go to Chicago.

CAPTAIN HARRY CREA has written to his mother, Mrs. Jeanette Crea, that he, with his wife and three children, are sailing from China for the United States and expect to arrive in San Francisco Aug. 12.

Captain Crea has been stationed in the different parts of the east for the last few years but evidently he is to be transferred to another post. His letter told nothing of his plans for the future. But his people here hope that he will be able to visit for a short time, at least, in Decatur.

THE Economics club met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. C. Lyons to sew for the Red Cross. Since the war has come so near home, the members of this club have decided not to serve refreshments and to give all of the time at their meetings to sewing for the Red Cross. Just now they are making sheets, generally making three dozen in an afternoon. They expect to make at least a hundred.

## ON HIS WAY TO UNITED STATES

CAPTAIN HARRY CREA.

## DECATUR SAILORS ON ONE STREET

### Frank Muleady Writes from Great Lakes.

First reports from the Decatur sailors who left late last week for Chicago have reached Decatur. In a letter to The Review, Frank Muleady says:

"Camp Paul Jones, Great Lakes, Ill.

"The Decatur boys after an interesting night in Peoria, are now quartered on 17th street, Camp Paul Jones, Great Lakes, Ill. We have been assigned to Company A, Third Regiment.

ON SAME STREET

"Lynn Mooney, Arthur Delahunt and I are in one tent. Next to us are Jack Crinigan and Poyntelle Downing in another tent. Across the street are Frank Myer, Will Foran and Ed Hayes in another.

"We are picking the grapes and getting along fine. We got up at 4:30 this morning and had a shower bath. Fine stuff."

## CHARLES MUSGROVE, LONG SICK, DEAD

### Well Known Young Man Was Employed by Taxicab Company.

Charles W. Musgrove of 350 South Webster street, died at Marley, Ill., on Monday. Mr. Musgrove, accompanied by his wife and their two children, went to Marley two weeks ago to spend a vacation with his sister, hoping that his health would be benefited, and his friends here were greatly shocked when word of his death was received Sunday evening. He had been suffering from heart trouble for some time, but it was not thought that his condition was serious.

Mr. Musgrove was well known in Decatur and had many friends here. He was thirty-one years old and was a cripple all his life. He was born in Decatur and his entire life was spent in this city. For the past four years he had been employed as night desk man for the Bowman Taxicab company.

Mr. Musgrove is survived by his wife and two children, Thelma Olive Musgrove and Leonard Dale Musgrove. They were all at his bedside when he died. He also leaves his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Musgrove of Ottawa, two brothers and a sister, Lloyd Musgrove, Robert Musgrove and Mrs. Chauncey McCormick of Marley.

The body was brought to Decatur Tuesday morning and taken to Morgan's chapel, where the funeral was set for 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

## McENTEE GOES INTO ACTIVE SERVICE

### Recruiting Naval Officer Assigned to Interned German Ship.

Chief Petty Officer McEntee, who was doing naval recruiting work here up until a week ago and who made many friends here, has been sent to the Princess Irene, according to a note received from him. The Princess Irene, it is understood, is one of the German ships that was interned in this country and has been seized and it will be used in transport service.

## DICKSON MAY BE BRIGADIER GENERAL

### Adjutant General, D. H. S. Graduate, for Promotion.

### HAS DONE FINE WORK

### Probably to Head Brigade in New National Army.

Decatur friends of Frank S. Dickson, graduate of the Decatur high school, will be interested to hear that he may soon be appointed brigadier general and taken into the federal service. He is to be one of four brigadier generals to be appointed for the federalized Illinois National guard.

General Dickson is regarded as one of the most efficient military men in the country. Since he has been adjutant of the Illinois National guard he has brought it up to a high degree of efficiency.

WILSON TO APPOINT.

President Wilson is expected to send to the senate during the present week the appointment of brigadier generals and major generals for the federalized national guard regiments. A major general and probably four brigadier generals will be named for Illinois. Illinois has no major general.

It is believed that the man selected will be from the regular army. Brigadier Generals Foster and Hill of the national guard, it is supposed, will retain their present posts and two new brigadier generals are expected to be appointed. There have been no brigade officers for the three regiments of artillery or for the Fifth and Sixth regiments of infantry.

OTHER APPOINTMENTS.

General Foster now commands the first brigade, consisting of the First, Second and Seventh regiments of infantry, while General Hill commands the second brigade, composed of the Third Fourth and Eighth regiments.

The Illinois guard has lacked one regiment of infantry, or enough for a third brigade, and until recently has had but one regiment of artillery.

Whether any of the present colonels in the Illinois national guard will be promoted to the rank of brigadier general is unknown. Colonels Sanborn of the First regiment of infantry, Moriarty of the Seventh and Foreman of the Second artillery all have had long years of experience in their present rank and might be considered for promotion.

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## "WHAT IS GOSPEL?" REVIVAL SUBJECT

"What Is Our Gospel?" will be the subject of the revival sermon at the Riverside Baptist church Tuesday evening. M. G. Trites, who is in charge of the music at the services, will sing a solo this evening, and in addition has arranged several other special musical numbers.

Owing to the fact that the rain came at the time of the services Monday evening, the attendance was small.

Good News For Foot Sufferers

If you have tired, swollen, aching burning sweaty feet, painful, stinging corns or callouses, here is good news for you.

Recently in the treatment of foot troubles by patients using Ice Mint, these distinctive features were noticeable: Tired, aching burning and swollen feet invariably became cool, easy and comfortable after the first application, while in the treatment of corns and callouses, it was noticed that after a few nights' application, the corns or callus had a tendency to loosen and in a short time could easily be lifted out with the fingers—root and all—leaving the surrounding skin in normal, healthy condition.

When you stop to consider that the simple, pleasant process of rubbing a little Ice-Mint on the foot at night will shortly rid one of every painful corn or callus and will keep the feet cool, comfortable and rested on the hottest days, it is easy to understand why it is thought that foot troubles will soon be a thing of the past.

Ice-Mint is an entirely new departure from the disagreeable old time foot remedies, inasmuch as it is absolutely harmless and comes in the form of a snow white creamy preparation, which is delightful and easy to apply. It costs little and can be obtained here from any of our local druggists.

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OF ALL KINDS.
Spring Chickens
New Tin Cans for Tomato Canning
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New Transparent Apples, per peck ... 50c
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Fancy Cauliflower 10c & 15c
Cottage Cheese.
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Parafine, Jelly Glasses
Washing Powder, per package ..... 5c
Blended Tea Iceing Specials, per can .. 20c
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Our August Clearance Prices Are Making Rapid Sale of Our White Dresses

WE HAD a big stock of White Wash Dresses at invoicing time, and to make the clearance a rapid one we have put the prices down to a point that is attracting widespread attention. We still have a good assortment of styles and sizes—all of them this year's models.

IN LOT 1—We give you choice of our white wash dresses that sold in season at from $20 to $30 for..... $12.45

IN LOT 2—You can choose from our entire assortment of white wash dresses that sold in a regular way at from $12.50 to $20 for..... $8.45

IN LOT 3—We place the balance of our stock of white dresses, which includes models that sold regularly at from $8.50 to $12.50, choice ..... $5.75

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Closing Out Many Corsets

Broken Lines and Discontinued Models Must Be Removed From Our Stocks This Month

Regular $4.00 to $8.50 Corsets.
We give you choice of a fine assortment of high grade corsets in both front lace and back lace models. Tomorrow, we will have all sizes from 23 to 30, inclusive; choice—
$3.50

Regular $2.50 to $3.50 Corsets.
Another very attractive bargain offering in back lace corsets only. All of them are well known makes of corsets, but we must close them out. The sizes run up to 26, in values up to $3.50, for—
$1.98

A Few Regular $1.50 Corsets, in Sizes 19 and 20, to Close at $1.19.

Are You Profiting By Our August Clearance of Shoes?

Our White Footwear, at These Price Reductions, Offers Matchless Value.

Any White Boots or Low Shoes, $10.00 value ....$6.95
Any White Boots or Low Shoes, $9.00 value....$5.95
Any White Boots or Low Shoes, $8.00 value....$5.35
Any White Boots or Low Shoes, $7.50 value....$4.95
Any White Boots or Low Shoes, $6.00 value....$4.35
Any White Boots or Low Shoes, $5.00 value ....$3.45
Any White Boots or Low Shoes, $4.00 value....$2.75
Any White Boots or Low Shoes, $3.50 value....$2.45
Any White Boots or Low Shoes, $3.00 value....$1.95

Shoes For $1

FROM our phenomenal dollar sale of shoes Monday, we have perhaps 100 pairs remaining. If you were unable to come Monday, the sale will be continued tomorrow. The bargain assortment includes low shoes for both women and children. If you can find your size, you buy them at, a pair, only $1.00

On Our 3rd Floor

There Will Be Phenomenal Bargains in Awnings, Pillows, Rag Rugs and Swisses for Wednesday Selling.

WINDOW AWNINGS, $1.25.
Final clearance of Porch Shades and Awnings, made of good quality waterproof duck, complete and ready to hang; colors, blue and brown stripe; in sizes that will accommodate the average window. Sizes 2 ft. 6 in., 3 ft., 3 ft. 6 in., 4 ft., special ..... $1.25

CRETONNE PILLOWS, $1.00.
Silk floss pillows, covered with best quality of Cretonne, in $1.25, $1.50 and $2.00 values. Size 22x22. Extra special for Wednesday ..... $1.00

RAG RUGS, $1.39.
Wide range of dainty patterns and colors of Blue, Pink, Yellow, Brown and Cream, with artistic band borders, suitable for bed room or bath. The size is 27x54 inches. Special ..... $1.39

CURTAIN SWISS, 12½c.
All new patterns, in dotted, figured and striped patterns. Values up to 18c per yard for Wednesday's selling, a yard ..... 12½c

Smart Women's Wear. The Charlotte 147 North Water.

August Clean-Up Specials For Wednesday

$25 Dresses $10
Choice of any wash Dress in white and colors. $25 Values,
$10

$12.98 Dresses $5
From our entire assortment of wash dresses in all colors and white. Formerly sold for $12.98,
$5.00

Choice of Any Silk Suit, $40.00 values . . $15.00

$3.50 Wash Skirts ..... $1.98
in Poplin and Gabardine Fancy pockets and buttons, $3.50 values
$1.98

$6.98 Silk Skirts, all new models in fancy stripes, navy and black, $6.98 values,
$3.98

$5.00 Wash Skirts ..... $2.98
Made up in all the new styles, $5.00 values,
$2.98

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# SPORTS

## DECATUR BACK TO LEAGUE BASEBALL

### A. E. Staley May Secure Berth in 1918.

### TWO LEAGUES IN VIEW

### Ball Park Already Built and Is in Use.

Decatur may return to league baseball again next spring, according to A. E. Staley of the Staley Manufacturing company. Mr. Staley is planning to negotiate with the Three-I or the Central league for a berth for next year and believes that he can produce a first class team for this city.

HAS GOOD PARK

"I believe Decatur will support high class baseball," said Mr. Staley yesterday, "and I am planning to back the team to the limit. We have a good ball park at the Staley plant and good street car transportation to it. We also have an excellent semi-pro team this year which will form the nucleus for the league club.

"I believe in good baseball in war time and in peace time. It's a wholesome sport for everybody. I have spent about $1,000 in getting the Staley team on the field. We have a modern ball park and good uniforms. The team this year belongs to the players and not to the Staley company. If there are any profits left at the end of the year, the money will be divided among the players.

FIRST CLASS TEAM

"If we do get into a baseball league next year we'll put in a first class team for Decatur if money can buy one."

## DRAWINGS FOR THE TENNIS TOURNAMENT

**Thirty-two Players Entered and Interesting Matches Promised.**

Drawings for the city tennis tournament were made at the Y. M. C. A. Monday afternoon. Thirty-two players are entered and some interesting matches are promised. It was hoped the games could be started some time Tuesday. The entries for the boys division will be kept open a few days longer as only five boys have entered so far. They are not having the usual interest this year. The drawings for the senior division Monday were as follows:

SINGLES

M. M. Cooper and W. C. Busher
E. C. Conklin and C. F. Deetz
R. M. Dawson and H. Miller
J. H. Hodge and [illegible] Tong
[illegible] Persinger and Art Morrow
R. Lohon and M. [illegible]
H. D. Warner and [illegible]
Bass and S. Miller
Hoeming and Ira Baker
Carmody and West
Oder and [illegible]bert
Mountz and Monroe
Wiley and Pisley
Morris and Moeller
Long and Becker
Joe Cooper and H. Robertson

DOUBLES

Oder-Long and Becker-Cooper
Tong-Conklin and Dawson-McDonald
Warner-Persinger and Pisley-Morrow
Wiley-Busher and Doberty-West

## PETER POINTER WINS AT COLUMBUS

Columbus, O., Aug. 7—Peter Pointer, who was given the hopples a week ago and turned over to Snow to drive by [illegible] Geers, his agent, because of Geers' illness, [illegible] to piloting [illegible] the [illegible] purse with the $7,000 Ellis [illegible] stake [illegible] eligibles after a six heat battle in which early favorites were tiring one after another and only Peter Pointer and Walter Cochato were left for the final duel.

Walter Cochato twice paced 2:02½ winning heats in staving off The Savoy, but a break in the fourth heat gave Peter Pointer his chance to land. He was fresher and took the fifth and sixth heats easily.

Drivers Valentine Grain and McMahon each were fined $25 at the end of the first mile for not trying to win.

The Woodman took the 2:09 trot after making a break and finishing fourth in the first mile. He took a new record of 2:05¼ in the second heat.

## MAROA EXPECTING A BIG CROWD

### For Game With Staley's Next Sunday.

Maroa, Aug. 7—The Maroa team easily defeated the Springfield Merchants here Sunday, 10 to 4, in a listless game.

Ehresman, pitching for Maroa, was rarely ever in danger and had to exert himself only once or twice during the nine innings.

STALEY TEAM NEXT

The Staley team will be here next Sunday, and preparations are being made for a record crowd of fans, as both teams are evenly matched and have played two extra-inning games already this year.

Arrangements will be made for parking 300 automobiles around the diamond and the bleachers and grandstand will hold at least 750 people.

The score:

| MAROA | AB | R | H | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| [illegible] | [illegible] | 1 | 1 | 12 | 1 | 1 |
| A. W[illegible] ss | 5 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Delaney 1b | 4 | 2 | 2 | 12 | 1 | 0 |
| C. Wasem 3b | 4 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 1 |
| Starr rf | 5 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Redman 2b | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Armann lf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Fevire c | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Ehresman p | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 0 |
| Totals | 35 | 10 | 11 | 27 | 11 | 2 |
| SPRINGFIELD— | | | | | | |
| [illegible] | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| But[illegible] c | 4 | 1 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 0 |
| Bell [illegible] | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| DeFrates 1b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 0 |
| Fess [illegible] | 4 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 0 |
| Fort 3b | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Waring lf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Nes[illegible] rf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Scharafin p | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Totals | 36 | 4 | 7 | [illegible]4 | 5 | 1 |

BY INNINGS

| | |
|---|---|
| Maroa | 0 0 0 3 3 0 0 4 0—10 |
| Springfield | 2 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0— 4 |

SUMMARY

Bases stolen—Redman, Butler. Two base hits—Starr, Fess, Scharafin. Three base hits—[illegible], DeFrates. Bases on balls—off Scharafin 4. Hit by pitched balls—Cramer 1, Wasem, Fort. Struck out—By Ehresman 12, by Scharafin 6. Passed ball—Cramer. Time of game—1:40. Umpire—Wright. Attendance—[illegible]00.

## PROGRESS OF THE PENNANT RACES

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

| Club | W. | L. | Pct. | Win | Lose |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 61 | [illegible] | [illegible] | 667 | [illegible] |
| Philadelphia | [illegible] | 42 | 543 | 545 | [illegible] |
| St. Louis | [illegible] | 47 | 530 | 532 | 514 |
| Cincinnati | [illegible] | 51 | 510 | 523 | 514 |
| Cubs | [illegible] | 52 | 49[illegible] | 500 | 41[illegible] |
| Brooklyn | 48 | 49 | 495 | 491 | 49[illegible] |
| Boston | 41 | 53 | 4[illegible] | 442 | 432 |
| Pittsburgh | [illegible] | 67 | 318 | [illegible]21 | 13 |

AMERICAN LEAGUE

| Clubs— | W. | L. | Pct. | Win | Lose |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| White Sox | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] | 620 |
| Boston | [illegible] | [illegible] | 606 | 610 | 600 |
| Cleveland | [illegible] | 49 | [illegible] | 538 | 529 |
| Detroit | [illegible] | 48 | [illegible]29 | 534 | 524 |
| New York | [illegible] | 48 | [illegible] | [illegible] | 510 |
| Washington | 44 | 57 | [illegible] | 441 | 431 |
| Philadelphia | [illegible] | [illegible] | 371 | 378 | [illegible] |
| St. Louis | 38 | 65 | [illegible] | 73 | 335 |

MONDAY'S SCORES.

National League.

St. Louis 1, Brooklyn 0.
Philadelphia 3, Chicago 2.
New York-Cincinnati game called at end of first inning on account of rain.
Boston-Pittsburgh game postponed on account of rain.

American League

Washington 1, St. Louis 0 (11 innings).
Philadelphia [illegible], Chicago 4 (11 innings).
Cleveland 2, Boston 0.
New York 5, Detroit 2.

American Association.

Minneapolis [illegible], St. [illegible] 1.
Open date for other teams.

TODAY'S GAMES

National League

Philadelphia at C[illegible], rain, 3 p. m.
New York at Cincinnati, clear, 3 p. m.
Boston at Pittsburgh, clear, 3 p. m.
No other games scheduled.

American League

Detroit at New York, clear, 3:30 p. m.
Chicago at Philadelphia, clear, 3:30 p. m.
St. Louis at Washington, clear, 3:30 p. m.
Cleveland at Boston, clear, 3 p. m.

## FIGHTING FOR THE C. L. CHAMPIONSHIP

**The Mueller Commercial League Team.**

Top row, left to right—"Mush" Augustine, Watkins, Willard Adams, Walter Behrns, Manager Roy Coffman.

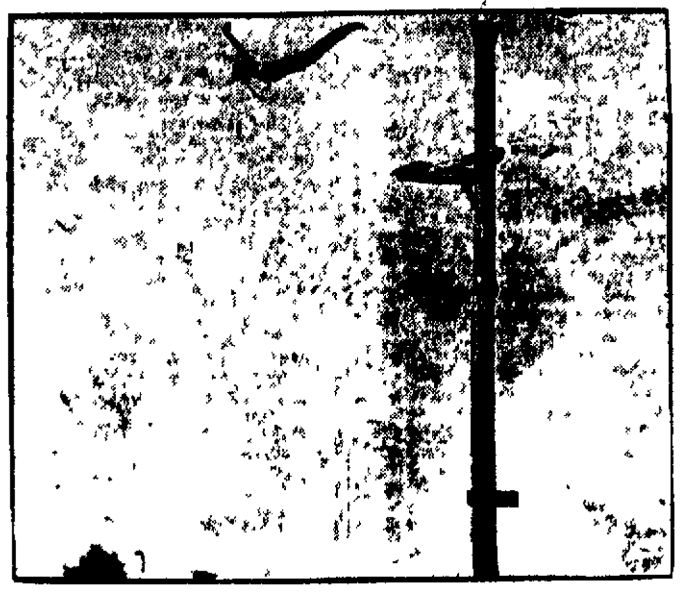
Bottom row—Elmer Young, Charley Dressen, Bill Barber, George To[illegible]laday.

Paul Devey, one of the regular players was on the sick list and was unable to be in the picture. This team is now fighting with the Staley team for the championship of the Commercial league.

## DECATUR'S EXPERT SWIMMERS AT FARIES PARK

**Y. M. C. A. Swimmers.**

In the group are Theodore Crabb, Russell Six, John Mountz, John Anderson and Ray Wright. These young men are among the best swimmers in town.



**Swan Dive Off Pole.**

Richard Bonsteel is doing the swan dive from the top of a telegraph pole in the lake. The height is thirty-five feet.

**Flip and a Half Forward.**

Ray Wright, who has joined the navy, is shown doing the flip and a half off the spring board.

## ENJOY SWIMMING AT FARIES PARK

### Star Paddlers in Fancy Dives and Strokes.

If one is interested in pretty swimming and diving, a trip to the Faries park lake is worth while. On nearly every warm afternoon and particularly on Sundays, the lake swarms with young men to whom life in the water is almost second nature.

Most of the boys who paddle in the lake received their preliminary instruction in the swimming art at the Y. M. C. A. They are all proficient. They do the swan dive, the jackknife, the half gainer, the sailor and dozens of others from the top of the high poles with but little fear. In swimming they use the trudgeon and breast strokes chiefly.

**Riverside Union to Meet.**

There will be no meeting of the Decatur Union of the W. C. T. U. Wednesday afternoon on account of the joint meeting to be held with the Riverside Union Friday, at the home of Mrs. G. W. Davis on the Lost Bridge road.

**Church of God C. E. Elects.**

The Intermediate Christian Endeavor society of the Church of God elected the following officers Sunday evening:

President, Lida Bass; vice president, Leah Bass; secretary, Evelyn Bailey; treasurer, Dwight Wollehouse.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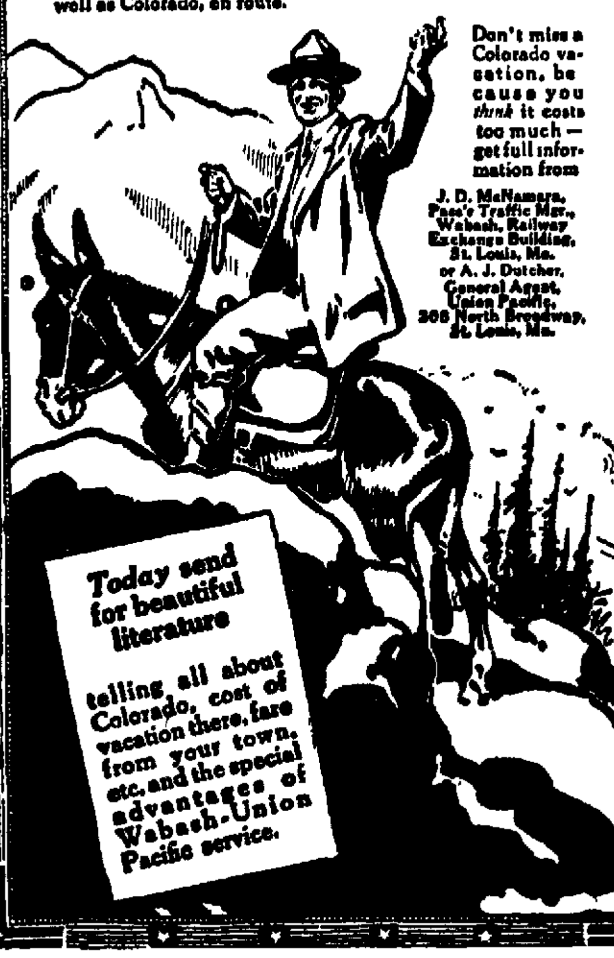


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# A Day at Camp Avord

By W. H. MEEKER,
American Aviation in France.

Avord, France—Three-thirty a. m. is not a time one would ordinarily choose for getting up, but when one is a "soldier of the Legion" and a French eleve pilote as well, it must be done. I sleepily opened my eyes and saw the squat figure of a swarthy Anamite standing at the foot of my bunk and bearing a steaming can of black coffee. Coffee helps a lot at that hour and I was soon wide awake listening to the mingled sounds around me. It was quite dark in the barracks, everything was in sleepy confusion, 'till some thoughtful person turned on the electric light. There followed groans, curses and the sound of reluctant dressing as twenty sons of Uncle Sam prepared for the daily task of learning to serve France.

The ponderous grey army tractor which carried us to the piste (flying field) was filled with giant Russians, dapper little Frenchmen, and two Americans. As it rumbled along over the dusty road the grey light around us turned to pink and as we reached the Coudron hanger the red ball of the sun popped up above the horizon. Tiny specks appeared in the sky, which, growing larger, we could see were aeroplanes flying towards us from the fields beside the school. The Russians handed out bread and cheese which we munched hungrily as we watched the approaching planes.

The Coudrons arrived in a few minutes volplaning down the brightening sky to the dewy piste below. There were six of them piloted by monitors, the men who were to be my instructors for many weeks to come. Only one of them could speak English and to him I had already been assigned the day before. He shook my hand cordially when I went up to speak to him after the hospitable custom of the French. Then the motor was started, the huge propeller whirled rapidly around and, adjusting my goggles and leather headgear, I climbed into the front seat for my first ride.

NOT NEW SENSATION.

Last summer I trained in the States on a Thomas hydro, so flying was not a new sensation, but there was something different about this. Then I was an American flying for fun, now I was at least half a Frenchman flying because I must. The controls are different on a French machine. In America we use a wheel and aileron on our wings. On the Coudron, as on all French aeroplanes, the machines are banked and steadied by means of a lever known as the manche a balai. There are no ailerons on a Coudron, the whole wing warps in obedience to the manche.

We made three sorties that morning, three trips around the field, three starts, three landings. Down below, the newly risen sun was already spreading heat upon the ground; up above it was always cool. Our route passed over a hay field, where early morning workers waved at us as we passed, over a railroad track, where a toy train puffed pompously along, over the toy village of Sevigne, with its red tile roofs and beckoning church steeple; over woods and corn fields, the gesticulating Frenchmen and the stalwart Russes. At 8:30 we climbed once more into the camion and jostled back to camp.

The rest of the morning was spent in making up my bed, reading the orders of the day, and writing letters. There are meals served in the ordinaire at various convenient times for the mechanics and, in a smaller room, the eleve pilotes. The fare is plain, but wholesome and plenteous enough. Everyone brings his own knife, fork, spoon and drinking cup, everyone waits on himself. A buxom French girl stands before a basket in the middle of the room cutting long French bread into convenient bits with dexterous strokes of her knife. An army canteen is also open in the camp where one can order well cooked food from a menu and be served by harassed French waiters. And there are various little inns and taverns scattered here and there about the country side, but best of all is the Cafe des Aviateurs. So it was there that I went to lunch.

HOT WALK.

It was a hot walk through sunny fields and a cheery orchard and along a dusty road before we reached the Aviateurs. Set back a bit from the roadside, white, cool looking and neat; it was a truly inviting spot. Sitting at a table in a whitewashed room we ate our fill of steak and potatoes served by a demure looking little French girl and washed down by a glass of beer. The room was filled with aviators, officers, monitors, eleves. There was a cheery atmosphere of good fellowship, a feeling of a restful lull in conventionality before resuming discipline and work. Then home again and sleep from 1 to 4:30.

At 5:30 dressed once more in leather clothes, I boarded the army tractor and soon arrived at the piste. The morning's performance was repeated. More sorties, more speeding through the air with the sunset all around us instead of breaking dawn. By 9:15 I was once more in the barracks talking aviation to those in the bunks nearby, listening to talk of aviation from the furthest corners of the room. Lights went out at ten, the voices sank to whispers and laughing "good-nights." I lay on my bunk and thought of aviation, knew that I would dream about the same. And as I dropped off to sleep I saw through half closed lids the brilliant lights of a night flier, moving like a giant firefly among the scattered stars.

## TEN YEARS AGO TODAY IN DECATUR

AUGUST 7, 1907.

It was the second day of the printers' strike.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY.

E. A. Koenitzer of Effingham was in the city trying to start a German newspaper to be known as the Cosmopolitan.

The local W. C. T. U. in regular session, discussed "Hire's Root Beer" because a local minister, who had been presented with two bottles, found that after taking one drink, he had an appetite for another.

Jimmie Martin, who had been playing ball with the Austin, Tex., team, returned home, the team having disbanded because of poor business.

## This Day in Illinois History

Aug. 7, 1828.—The voters of Chicago, thirty-five in number, participated in the first election held in that city for state officers and for a representative in congress.

## QUINCY HOME IS MODEL INSTITUTION

Superintendent Andrew Holds Cost of Soldiers' Keep Down by System.

Word received by Decatur friends of John E. Andrew, now at the Soldiers and Sailors home in Quincy, indicates that he is doing very well there. In a letter to Decatur friends he says in part:

"We have the smallest acreage of any of the big state institutions in this state as the grounds, buildings and all occupy about 715 acres.

"We produce more corn, potatoes and vegetables than some of the institutions that have a thousand acres of land. We produce more milk than any institution in the state and we have sent a hundred heifers and cows to other institutions during the past two years. Elgin, Kankakee and others have head dairymen, husbandmen, head farmer, head gardener, etc., with modern barns and everything up to date. We have an old barn, no boss only the superintendent, farmer boys to do the milking, gardening, etc. No high faluting men to stand around with white collars and give orders, therefore in spite of the advance of everything in the food line, our per capita cost for maintenance in this home for the year ending June 30, 1917, is only $187.70.

"Our people are well cared for and have plenty of good wholesome, well cooked food, but no waste is permitted. June 1, we adopted the plan of two meatless days a week and our people seem to be satisfied with the arrangement. We have everything systematized here and personally supervise the details. The per capita cost for the year ending June 30, 1916, was $168.77.

"I guess the governor thinks that I have managed the home fairly well or he would have made a change before this, as I have been here for four years and nearly three months."

# Two Points of View

THE SLACKER.

I'm too fat for a soldier,
I could not make a charge,
If the army crossed a river
They say I'd sink a barge.
Then, I am hard of hearing,
My eyesight is a fright,
I had small pox and measles
And never have been right.
I have the "yaller janders"
And an abscess on my side
I have the bots and spavin
And bunions on my hide.
My vermiform-appendix
Was born a little short
It wasn't built for battles
Nor nothing of the sort.
I've pellagra and pneumonia,
And forty kinds of cough,
There are lumps inside my eyelids,
They say, must be cut off.
I'm troubled, much, with phthisic,
Sore throat, sore mouth and "sich"
I have the chicken pox and mumps
And seven sorts of itch.
Now, with these and other troubles
In war, I must not mix,
And if I'm ever drafted,
I'll be in a hellofafix.

—S. E. Eades, in North Macoupin Herald.

THE VETERAN.

Backward, turn backward,
O Time, in thy flight;
Make me a boy again,
So I can fight.
Just twenty-one,
So I can shoulder
A knapsack and gun.
Give me the muscles
I had years ago,
Give me a step that's
Not wabbly and slow
Give me the strength that
I may play my part,
All that I have now for
War is the heart.
Give me the vim and
The vigor of youth,
I'll fight till doomsday, and
That is the truth,
Turn back the decades and
Give me a chance
To sail with the legions for
Far-away France.
What chastisement it
Is to be told:
"Back to the fireside;
You're no good—too old."
Time, you're a criminal,
That's plain to see.
You've made a confounded
Old slacker of me.

—New York Evening Mail.

# HIS GARDEN IS GOING TO WASTE

## If You Have Too Much, Notify The Review.

A Decatur woman who is much interested in the present movement to conserve the food supply and who has put much effort and study on the proposition to give Mr. Hoover the best possible assistance, was horrified Saturday to hear a young man who has a farm near Blue Mound say that he intended to let his garden go to weeds. He said that he had about a half acre of Kentucky Wonder beans which were just ready to gather and to can but that he had no way of getting them to market, and if he had, there seemed to be no demand for them through the dealers.

Here was a plain case of inefficient distribution. The man also has a plat of cucumbers and a pretty fair sized patch of cabbage. He is a corn expert, a student of corn qualities and a high class agriculturist, and he put in these garden truck patches as a patriotic duty, but now that he has the produce raised he does not know what to do with it.

This is the old problem. How to get the producer and the consumer together. Out there at Blue Mound is a patch of fine beans going to waste or to seed. Soon there will be an equally fine patch of cucumbers and cabbages. The man who raised them is not a truck gardener by profession. He can't leave his farm to bring a bushel or so of beans to market. Neither will he care to fool with cucumbers the same way.

GOOD SUGGESTION

What's the answer? Mrs. C. J. Morrow, who has studied the situation here in Decatur all summer, says we need an exchange, or a place where such information could be furnished to city women who would like to get hold of such surplus to can. That might be the solution.

Doubtless there are hundreds of gardens in the country which are producing more than the owners will use or can. Owners of such gardens should notify The Review and a way will be found to use all the produce to advantage.

### Does Not Live at that Address.

Mr. J. H. Owen, 1062 South Broadway, says that John Sullivan, who was arrested Sunday evening for disorderly conduct, does not live at 1062 South Broadway, although he formerly did live there.

# OVERSUBSCRIBED THE K. C. FUND

## Subscriptions in Decatur Amount to $1,800.

Decatur Catholics have more than raised their allotment toward the $1,000,000 national fund that was being raised for the establishment of recreation centers in army training camps and to furnish chaplains for those divisions of the army where Catholic chaplains were not supplied.

The amount subscribed here, including a $2 per capita on all local Knights of Columbus, amounted to $1,800 and the canvass of the town is not yet completed. Decatur's actual allotment was only around $1100, so it can be seen the local people well oversubscribed it. However, as the national K. of C. officers, in charge of this work, have found that $1,000,000 will not much more than start the work and that the fund really should be $5,000,000 it is very likely the campaign will be carried on until the amount reaches $5,000,000.

For this reason, the local men conducting the soliciting, ask that all Catholics, who have not yet been visited, or who may have been overlooked by the solicitors, take it upon themselves to go to the soliciting committee instead of waiting for the committee to come to them, to go to them with a liberal donation and help out in the work. The fund is said to have been greatly oversubscribed, the country over.

### Crum-Wiley Co. to Exhibit.

Among the firms named as probable exhibitors at the Ford Accessory show in Chicago soon is that of the Crum-Wiley company of Peru, Ind. This firm will be remembered as having formerly been located at Decatur.

# PROGRAMS ISSUED FOR CHAUTAUQUA

## Woodbine Assembly to Break Records.

The Woodbine Chautauqua association has issued handsomely illustrated programs for the chautauqua, which will be held at Woodbine park, nine miles southeast of Decatur, Aug. 17 to 26. This is the third annual assembly at Woodbine park, and each year the attractions and the attendance have been better than the preceding year. The same can be said of the program for this year, and it stands to reason that the attendance will likewise surpass previous records. The park with its beautiful lake and abundance of shade is an attraction itself that draws crowds daily even when there is nothing going on.

MAP IS FEATURE.

A feature of the printed program is a map of Macon county, with arrows pointing the way to Woodbine from towns in various parts of the county.

The officers of the association are:
President—W. A. Brown.
Vice president—George B. Spitler.
Secretary—Hayden Veach.
Treasurer—W. R. McGaughey.

Among the attractions are Miss Beatrice Fagan of Decatur, soprano, Miss Prescott of Pittsburg, pianist; the Dalton City orchestra; the Schrode Entertainment company; Suawanee River quartet; Ever Ready quartet; Hawaiian quintet; Fred Bale, lecturer; Julius Caesar Nayphe, entertainer; Lyceum Art club orchestra; Fisher Shipp Concert company; Chief Caupalicah, Indian entertainer; Hearons sisters; Ralph Parlette, Bellin and his accordeon; Irene Bewley, reader; Beilharz, entertainer; Apollo Concert company; Mt. Zion Glee club; Dr. Hurlbert, lecturer.

## ORGANIZE CLASS IN WAR TELEGRAPHY

George Stanton to Have Charge of Students; Start Soon.

Those interested in the class in military telegraphy which is to be offered through the remainder of the summer at the James Millikin university are planning to hold the first meeting of the class Tuesday afternoon at 5 o'clock for organizing.

George Stanton, veteran Wabash key man, has been engaged to teach the class. It is expected that the instruction will begin within the week.

## ANY BOOK GOOD FOR THE SOLDIERS

Mrs. Evans Points Out That Hundreds Will Read Old Volumes.

"People should not worry because any books they may have for the soldiers are of titles which they may have seen already given," said Mrs. Alice G. Evans, of the public library. "If one will stop to think how many camps there are to be in this country and of the 8,000 to 30,000 men in each camp, not to speak of the soldiers who are going abroad, it will be readily understood that a duplication of titles need not mean that there will be an excess of any one good book."

One lot of fifteen books were brought Monday morning and among the titles given were Soldiers o. Fortune, The Leopard's Spot, Peter, The Moonstone, Bunker Bean, and other titles of interesting books which will be more than welcomes in camps and on the field.

# AVIATION QUARTERS LIKE MODERN HOME

## Decatur Boy Writes of Comforts.

Harold A. R. Probst, Decatur boy in the 20th aero squadron, which is now in camp at Fairfield, O., near Dayton, has written Mrs. A. M. Probst, 124 Dennis Ave., telling of the new aviation quarters there. His letter reads in part as follows:

Harold Probst

"Our squad arrived here July 31 shortly before noon and believe me we certainly made the trip from San Antonio in record time as we left there Sunday. The barracks here are beyond all imagination, steam heat, electric lights, shower baths, and all conveniences that go with a modern home. Stained woodwork and tinted walls and a porch the whole length of the building.

AVIATION FIELD.

"The aviation field is very large and is as level as a tennis court. We sleep on steel beds, with sheets, pillows and mattresses. Our train came through Mattoon on the Big Four and we sure broke the record for rapid transportation. We left San Antonio Sunday noon getting here Tuesday morning at 10:30, and would have arrived in camp sooner, had it not been for engine trouble.

"Dayton is a fine place and they like the regulars, but they have not much use for the militia, on account of the flood here about two years ago. Whenever we go to a show or anything, they always look at our hat cord and if it is orange and white they consider us as their guests."

Mr. Probst joined the aviation section of the signal corps early in March, and prior to moving to Dayton, was stationed with the 20th at San Antonio.

# FRUIT COMBINATIONS FOR SWEETS

THE following combinations for rich conserves, of which every housekeeper likes to have a small quantity on her storeroom shelves, are given by a noted domestic science teacher, who is one of the best cooks, both theoretical and practical that I know.

The old-fashioned "four-fruit jam," she says, is always good. It is made with strawberries, raspberries, cherries and currant juice. If a fifth fruit is desired, gooseberries may be used.

"Aimack's preserve" is an old-fashioned sweet, made with equal quantities of apple, pear and plum or peach. All four make a good combination. Pineapple, peach and ground cherry make a light golden preserve. Apple and quince is common enough, but apple and pineapple, or apple, pineapple and pear are less well known combinations. Apple, pear and huckleberry is a combination of rich color, approved by many.

With most combination conserves a little lemon juice is a good addition to heighten the flavor and brighten the color. No definite amount can be specified, as it must depend on the natural acidity of the fruits chosen and also upon personal taste. The combinations of ten called "modern conserves" include, besides the fresh fruits chosen, raisins, Sultanas, figs, or nut meats. Here, again, combinations and proportions depend upon personal taste. Seedless grapes may also be used as conserves or in the simpler preserves.

Equal quantities of the fruits chosen is a very common rule, except where some fruit is especially weak or strong in flavor. The fruits are generally to be simmered until tender, using a very little water or some fruit juice to start the softening process and then an equal quantity of sugar is added and the fruits cooked until the desired degree of firmness and clearness is obtained. Nuts are added last. Spices may or may not be added.

The following are other suggested combinations:

Apple, pear, plum, peach, orange, raisin, walnut or almond.

Pineapple, peach, pear, seedless grapes.

Fig, sultana, peach, orange, banana, fresh cocoanut or almond.

Rhubarb, fig, orange, raisin, walnut.

Pineapple, peach, lemon, ground cherry.

Apple, lemon, pear, sultana, almond.

Apple, lemon, pear, ginger.

Apple and orange, with or without nuts and raisins or dates.

Concord grapes, apple and pear.

This same expert gives directions for using that delectable, but all too often neglected product, the ground cherry. Those who have eaten this, either preserved with lemon or in combination, will agree that it is especially rich and worthy of appearing oftener than it does on the table of fastidious Americans. Besides being used in preserves, ground cherries can be used in fruit cocktails and in savory salads.

The following is a typical preserve of the richer sort:

Make a syrup with one cup of sugar and one cup of water for every pound of husked, ground cherries. Flavor the syrup strongly with lemon juice and yellow rind. A little ginger root may also be added, if liked. Heat to the boiling point and skim out into jars. Boil the syrup until thick, then fill the jars to overflowing and seal at once. A few slices of lemon may be used in the preserve, if liked, or half orange and half lemon juice and yellow rind may be used.

LAURA LEONARD.

## PYTHIAN HOME CHILDREN TO PEKIN

Sixty Will Be Guests of Honor at Big Celebration.

Sixty children from the Pythian Home for Children will leave Wednesday morning at 8:40 for Pekin, where they will be guests of honor at a big Pythian celebration which the Peoria district is to hold at Pekin.

Officers of the grand lodge are planning to attend the affair and will appear on the program in the afternoon, which is to be one of the features of the meeting. It is expected that fully 4,000 Pythians and families from that district will attend the meeting.

PRESENT A FLAG

Sunday is also to be a red letter day at the home, for the flag which was given the home by Supreme Chancellor John J. Brown, of Vandalia, will be raised with appropriate ceremonies at that time. Supreme Chancellor John Reeve, of Jacksonville, will also attend and will speak briefly. In addition, the children will appear on the program.

The program will begin promptly at 2:30 and is open to the public.

## BOYHOOD HOME OF EUGENE FIELD BURNS

Now Fane, Vt., Aug. 7.—The boyhood home of Eugene Field, the poet, in this town, was burned yesterday. The house was built by Field's grandfather, General Martin Field, and was one of the landmarks of this locality.

Invest in Krumbles

The new whole wheat food with its delicious flavor and its high food value at a low price.

Children like KRUMBLES and it *builds them up* because of the extra nutrition of Durum wheat, which is rich in protein and mineral salts.

KRUMBLES is appetizing with cream or milk, and a special treat with berries, sliced peaches or bananas.

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BIG DEMONSTRATION

Grape Nuts, Post Toasties, and Instant Postum. Come in and have a dish of Grape Nut Pudding. Learn the new way of serving these dishes.

FLOUR Diamond, Kansas Hard wheat Hungarian milled $3.60

Fresh EGGS, per dozen . . 35c

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| Scratch Feed, per 100 pounds | $4.00 |
| Bacon, according to weight | 35c and 40c |
| Picnic Hams, per pound | 25c |
| Danzeisen Lard, per pound | 25c |
| Bread, large loaf | 10c |
| Navy Beans, per pound | 18c |
| Butter: Creamery .... 45c Oleomargarine | 25c and 32c |
| Potatoes, per peck | 50c |
| Cabbage, per pound | 2c |
| 2½ pound can Y. C. Peaches—Halves in Syrup | 17c |
| Borden's Eagle Brand Milk | 23c |
| Jar Rubbers, three dozen | 25c |
| Oatmeal: Cherry Blossom ..10c Wedding Ring | 10c |
| Wash Crisps, per package | 9c |
| Soups, per can | 10c |
| Coffee, 15 brands, rangings from 18c to | 45c |
| Corn, 2 cans for | 25c |
| Pink Beans, per can | 11c |
| Red Beans, per can | 12c |
| Peas, 2 cans for | 25c |
| Soaked Peas, 3 cans for | 25c |
| Matches, three boxes for | 10c |
| Genuine Red Kidney Beans, 2 cans for | 25c |
| Soap: Lenox—Crystal White | 5c |
| Maple City 2 for 11c Swift's Pride | 4c |
| All others | 6c |
| E. C. Corn Flakes | 3 for 25c |
| All 15c package Cookies | 14c |
| Crackers, per pound | 15c |
| Ginger Snaps | 2 pounds for 25c |
| Dried Peaches, per pound | 15c |
| Fine Large Prunes, per pound | 20c |
| Hominy, per can | 10c |
| Bluing, per bottle | 5c |
| Smoked Jowls, per pound | 25c |

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Any order amounting to 50c delivered anywhere in the city.
Buy all your goods from us—we will save you money.

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Sale Prices on UNDERWEAR

—Now is the time to buy underwear for future as well as present needs. It will pay you to buy for this Fall and for next Summer; prices are still going up. These garments are 25 to 33 1-3 under present market and probably 50 per cent under the prices that will obtain next year. Buy now, and SAVE.

Women's $1.00 Lisle Union Suits

*—Wednesday only we offer a regular dollar line of Women's Pure Lisle Union Suits, pink or white, loose or tight knees; reinforced under arms; special, per suit* ..... 89c

3 Union Suits $1

—A big stock of women's first quality knit union suits; lace knee styles—in V or round necks. They are priced away under the market, at 3 suits for $1

Children's Union Suits

—Plain knit and button waist suits for girls, and thin, cool poros knit suits for boys. Worth 35c on the present market. Our special price ..... 29c

Men's 59c Union Suits, Special, 2 Suits, $1

*—Ribbed Union Suits.* *—Athletic Union Suits.*

—The ribbed suits come in ankle length styles with long or short sleeves and in knee length styles with short sleeves. The athletic suits are made of fine, soft nainsook. Our regular 59c union suit, but worth 69c. On sale Wednesday. TWO SUITS ..... $1

Up to $8.50
White Voile Dresses
*Four Lovely Styles* $3.95 *All New Exclusive Styles*

—Come Wednesday and buy a lovely white voile dress for about what you would pay for the materials.

*—Choose from four bewitching new styles; all are this season's creations.*

—Lace trimmed effects, embroidery trimmed dresses and some profusely trimmed with both lace and embroidery. Regular $5.95 to $8.50 white dresses, Wednesday, $3.95.

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# Military Wrist Watches

## Equally as Practical for Men as for Women

Always in advance of the times, we present a most comprehensive assortment of Military Wrist Watches for both men and women—the vogue of the hour in America and the dominating custom in Europe.

90 per cent of the Watches made and sold for women today are Wrist Watches and the Wrist Watch is equally as practical for men as it is for women.

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Note the handsome Gruen Military Wrist Watch illustrated above. It would make an ideal gift for some loved one about to leave for the front.

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-15 jewel movements in silver or gold cases.

**$13.50 TO $15.00**

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# KEEP ROADS IN GOOD SHAPE NEAR PANA

## Grade and Level Highways for 101 Miles.

Pana, Aug. 7.—July proved an ideal month in Pana township for road work and as a result there are a number of miles of graded road in the vicinity of Pana.

In this township roads are leveled immediately after grading and as this consumes some time in order to accomplish good results it is impossible to cover the entire township in one season.

The highway commissioner and his force of workmen have 101½ miles of road to care for at the present time at least 25 miles have been graded and leveled. It is said the method used guarantees at least two years' service before another is needed.

SOME DELAYS.

Interruptions occur delaying the grading because of bridge work. Three bridges were repaired southeast of the city Saturday. The many rains early in the season were also a hindrance, but vast improvements have been made in the public highways around Pana in the past year or two.

ON STATE AID WORK.

C. A. Pennington, the Christian county highway superintendent, has asked Joseph Pence, the township highway commissioner to render assistance with the state aid road in Rosemond township west of Pana, which has not been completed although work has been in progress for the past month. Mr. Pence will go over the road this week with Mr. Pennington before he makes a decision. The part of this road completed last fall will be reoiled with two heavy applications of oil in the near future.

MEDAL FOR MYRON WILSON.

Myron Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. I. Wilson, of this city, who is in the United States marines, at Port Royal, S. C., has been awarded a silver medal in a marksmanship contest. He was one of 6,000 who participated and made the highest score of all and is classed as an expert marksman. He has been made the coach to train the new men in marksmanship. An increase of $5.00 a month has been added to his pay. He is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. M. I. Wilson and enlisted last May. Two other young Pana men, who made high scores in the marine marksmanship contest are Ralf Paddock and Paul Endris. The former is a son of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Paddock and the latter is a son of John Endris, Sr.

EMERY LAYMAN HELD UP.

Emery Layman, second trick operator for the Chicago and Eastern Illinois at the station here was held up at the point of a gun about 9:30 o'clock Saturday night and robbed of $15.50 of the company's money also of $2 of his own. Layman states he was busy with train orders and the door of the office was open. Some one entered and walked up behind him commanding that he must not look around. Layman did look however and found a gun had been drawn up on him. He was driven out side the office and down the track to the point where the Illinois Central crosses the Chicago and Eastern Illinois track. He was accompanied by one man, a second remained to rob the till

The men then went through Layman's pockets taking all the change he had. They examined his watch, which was a cheap affair and was not in running order. The watch was returned to the owner with a request that Mr. Layman should thank them for the favor. He did so as the gun of the robbers was still facing him. No clue has been found and the identity of the guilty parties is not known.

$20 STOLEN BY BOY.

James Hamlin, the [illegible] year old son of Mrs. Ella Har[illegible] was apprehended Saturday night engaged in spending $20 which he claims was taken from the office of the Morsfield and Pryce garage. The money belonged to Walter Pryce and had been left in the pocket of his coat which was hanging in the office. The boy with a number of companions had spent $2.00 of the money. The balance was restored to the owner.

The officers will endeavor to have the boy declared delinquent as he is of frequent annoyance to citizens in general and also to the authorities as there isn't any juvenile court it Pana it is difficult to handle such cases.

Coroner John Hill was here Sunday morning to hold an inquest over the body of Dallas Bodell, who was drowned here Saturday afternoon in a deep pond near what for formerly the Progressive plant. The verdict returned was that the lad's death was caused by accidental drowning.

The pond where young Bodell lost his life is said to be an unnatural pool of water. It was manufactured there at its great depth at the time the B. and O. shops were located in Pana years ago. This is the third boy to lose his life in the pond. A son of Mr. and Mrs. D. Oller and a son of Mr. and Mrs. Craven were the other victims several years ago.

Dallas Bodell's funeral was held at St. Patrick's church at 2:30 Monday afternoon. Rev. Fr. J. F. Moroney officiating. Burial was at Calvary cemetery.

Harry and Ralph Large of Protection, Kan., arrived here Monday summoned to the bedside of their mother, Mrs. N. G. Large who continues critically ill.

Miss Lucille Staley has returned from Normal where she has been attending summer school. She has been employed as teacher of the fifth and sixth grades in the Owaneco school.

CARPENTER-FOIL.

Miss Edith Carpenter and Paul Foil, both of this city, will be married tonight at 8 o'clock at Mackinaw. The ceremony will be performed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sydney P. Winters. Mrs. Winters and Miss Carpenter are sisters. Miss Carpenter is a daughter of Mrs. Sarah Carpenter and is popular with a large circle of friends. Mr. Foil is a painter and paperhanger. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Foil of this city. The couple will return to Pana within a few days and will go to housekeeping in West Pana, where Mr. Foil recently purchased a cottage.

WHO OWNS THAT HOG?

Walter Roberts, who recently sued C. H. Corzine, of Assumption, for $200 damages for injuries sustained when Robert's car collided with a hog in the road, had his case before Judge G. F. Morgan Saturday. The ownership of the hog was not established and Roberts has not received damages. His next suit is to be against Ada Corzine, Mr. Corzine's wife, to ascertain if she owned the hog. The hog was killed and thus far no one claims any ownership.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. W. H. Alexander and daughter, Grace, have returned from a visit to St. Paul, Minn.

Attorney Carl Phillips spent Sunday in Bloomington.

Miss Susan Alexander has resigned her position as stenographer in a government office in Wellington, Kan. and returned home. She will try for a higher civil service position.

Misses Julia and Bertha Rapp have returned from a visit to New York City and Niagara Falls and other eastern points of interest.

Wayne Broehl has returned to Chicago, after a visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Broehl.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Marsland are the parents of new daughter.

A. J. Miller, a farmer of north of town, celebrated his sixty-fifth birthday anniversary sunday surrounded by forty relatives and friends. The affair was planned as a surprise by Mrs. Miller and a fine dinner was served.

Dr. A. Lee Alderson and wife motored to Lafayette, Ind. Saturday.

The Latter Day Saints church began a series of meetings Sunday in a tabernacle at the corner of Sixth and Sheridan streets. A special song service is in charge of Prof. William Richards. P. L. Burton will deliver the lectures.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Lewis of Shelbyville, were here Monday enroute to Taylorville to attend the funeral of William Dorrah.

Mrs. Frank Dupont of Federal Point, Fla., is a guest of her brother, William Boynton and wife.

Mrs. Nat Smock has returned from Hoopeston, where she has been a guest of her son, Sam Smock and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Verne Watton of St. Louis, have been guests of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sanders. They returned home Monday. Mr. Watton's mother, Mrs. Roxie Guthrie, of Bebee, Ark., remained in Pana for an indefinite visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sanders.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Metzger are visiting in Indianapolis.

W. F. Metzger of Hartner, Kan., is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. August Metzger.

Mrs. Joe Hettiger and Mrs. H. C. Mohler, will entertain the Woman's Home Missionary Society Thursday evening.

G. D. Fretzer an operator at the interlock tower is ill.

Mrs. H. J. Holberstott returned to her home in Marion, O., after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Swaze, north of town.

Mrs. Tice Williams was called to Taylorville Sunday by the death of her brother, William Darrah, a former Pana man.

Pana was visited by a light rain Sunday evening. The roads were somewhat muddy Monday morning, but dried quickly and are now in fine condition.

Announcements have been received in Pana of the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thomas in Taylorville. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas formerly resided in Pana.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Jacobs, a daughter.

Mrs. Nora Campbell of Chicago, is here visiting her sister, Mrs. Jesse Gorden.

Miss Nelle Reese of Athens, Ga., is here for a month's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Reese. Miss Reese is librarian at the state college of agriculture at Athens.

Two Farm Names Filed.

Two farm names were filed for record in the circuit clerk's office Monday. "West View" is the name chosen by Allen Bartlett for his country home, while H. J. Radford chose "The Lindens" as the official name of his suburban residence.


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# PILES

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# CURE

You no longer need to endure suffering from piles, and it is your own fault if you do, as you now have nothing to fear, and no excuse for postponing treatment any longer. My painless, dissolvent method never fails to cure piles without cutting, injections, anaesthetic or laying you up. The cures are permanent and guaranteed. Under my treatment constipation disappears like magic.

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Take the advice of an honest specialist and have your piles treated now; don't wait until they have developed into a cancer or fistula.

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Decatur, Ill.


## ENLISTS IN THE AVIATION CORPS

CHARLES H. RUSSELL.

Charles H. Russell, 859 East Main street, has enlisted in the United States army and has been sent to Jefferson barracks, near St. Louis, for preliminary training. Russell was a junior law student at Creighton university, Omaha, Neb., and has been spending the present summer as locomotive fireman on the Pennsylvania lines.

# POGUE CAPTAINS SUPPLY COMPANY

## Of Tenth Regiment; Gets Leave of Absence.

Now it is Captain Harold Pogue, as well as Secretary Harold Pogue, as the secretary of the Association of Commerce has been appointed captain in the supply company of the 10th regiment, and the board of directors of the Decatur Association Monday night voted unanimously to give Mr. Pogue such time as his new duties needed

Captain Pogue will be with the regiment at Camp Lincoln, in Springfield for the next month but he will be in Decatur two or three times a week so as to keep in touch with the affairs of the association here.

DISTRIBUTES SUPPLIES.

Mr. Pogue was appointed to the position through the recommendations of Adjutant Pete Wills, the well known secretary of the Danville Association of Commerce. Wills has been interested in the formation of the 10th, as have many other commercial associations in the state, and he recommended that Pogue be appointed to the head of the supply company of the regiment. The company consists of fifteen men and is officered by a captain, lieutenant and five sergeants, and will have charge of the distribution of the tents, equipment of all kinds and supplies issued during the encampment.

Pogue is a graduate of the University of Illinois where he had considerable military training.


Genuine Panamas

**$2.98**

While they last.

Also similar discounts on all Straw Hats.

**HONEST ABE**

447 N. Water St.


## VALUABLE HORSE IS SMOTHERED TO DEATH

W. E. Wallace of Argenta Loses Animal in Unusual Manner.

About a week ago, W. E. Wallace, the well known Argenta farmer, lost a valuable horse from his place. The horse weighed about 1,600 pounds and was worth about $200. The animal disappeared completely and Mr. Wallace advertised in the hope of recovering it.

Just a day or two ago, Mr. Wallace noticed a stench coming from a big pile of straw in the pasture. On investigation he found that the horse had climbed on this pile of straw and sunk down in it and smothered to death. The straw was over a year old and was being used as fertilizer. It had become decayed and when the heavy horse tramped on it, the straw sank with him.


# Wakefield's Blackberry Balsam

Quickly cures Diarrhoea, Dysentery, Cholera Infantum and all loose bowel troubles in adults and babies. No opium. No opiates. Harmless. Doctors recommend it. Seventy Years without an equal. 35 cents everywhere.

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Successful for years in difficult cases of both sexes. Patient's improvement begins immediately—no confinement; no use of nauseating or dangerous drugs. Treatment administered only by skilled, kindly physicians. Pleasant surroundings. Home remedies for tobacco using and nervousness. Booklet sent in plain envelope. Write today.

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# "Oh, For a Book From the Library"

"Now that I have my new glasses, I've found that I can see so much more and easier than I could before I was fitted with them.

"Why, Mr. Wallace, I did not realize there was so much more to be seen in this world before.

"I don't see why I did not have this done long ago. Well, I know that I shall never, never neglect my eyes again."

The above is a synopsis of a short conversation which took place a few days ago with a young lady in my place after I had adjusted her glasses which I had made for her.

You might be as much surprised as she was if you had the right kind of glasses on.

I can make them.

OPTOMETRIST J. Frank Wallace EYE SERVICE

256 N. Main St., Decatur



# Penny Grocery

| PENNY GROCERY No. 1 527 N. WATER | PENNY GROCERY No. 2 632 E. WOOD |
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## Peaches! Peaches!

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| PEACHES BY THE BUSHEL BASKET | $2.75 |
| POTATOES, PER PECK | 48c |
| ORANGES, PER DOZEN | 20c |

## If You Want Flour Buy Now

Made out of Old Wheat

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| LARGE SACK | $3.60 |
| 25-LB. SACK CANE SUGAR | $2.45 |
| A 4-SEWED BROOM | 50c |
| 3 LARGE CABBAGE | 10c |
| 11 BARS WHITE MAGIC SOAP | 50c |



18c Wash Goods, 11c.

—20 pieces of elegant summer Wash Goods—Marigold Batistes, Pineapple Batistes, in stripes, figures and floral designs; regular 18c material. Wednesday, a yard ..... **11c**

DECATUR'S BUSY STORE ALWAYS THE LOWEST PRICES

# The Stewart Dry Goods Co

227-235 N. WATER ST. DECATUR ILLS.

25c Wash Goods, 15c.

—25 pieces of dainty summer Wash Materials, including Princess Tissues, woven voile tissues, batistes and Francaise organdies; regular 25c values; Wednesday, a yard ..... **15c**

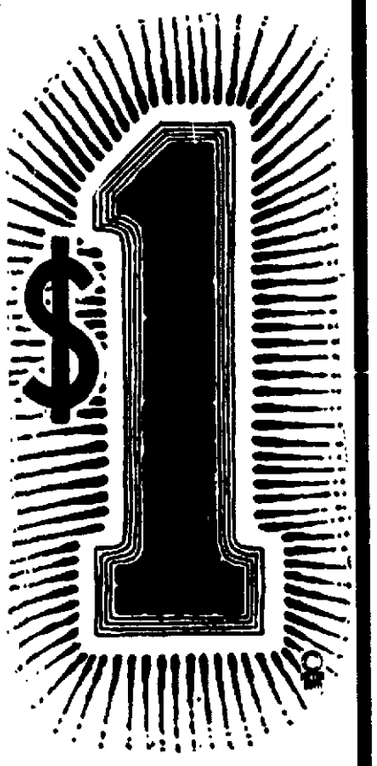
## A Bargain Sensation For Wednesday

# Big Dollar Sale, 2nd Floor

## A Ruthless Sacrifice of Dainty Summer Apparel

—Wednesday is "Clean-up Day" on our second floor. We want to get rid of all summer-weight garments, so to help make quick clearance, we're going to surprise the women of Decatur with the greatest bargains ever offered in this community for $1. Although these offerings are largely broken assortments, the size runs are fairly good and the merchandise is all new, clean, perfect. Come early for first and best choice.

$1.50 to $2.25 white, lace trimmed voile waists, choice each.....
$1.95 and $2.50 black and navy all-silk petticoats, odd lots, at..
Elegant double panel, white mercerized satteen petticoats, each.
$1.50 to $1.95 striped, checked and plain gingham house dresses.
Polka dot and plain chambra combination bungalow sets, go for...
Navy and cadet blue figured bungalow aprons, large sizes, choice.
Children's $1.50 to $1.95 gingham dresses, sizes 6 to 14, choice...
$1.50 and $1.69 infants' beautiful, short white dresses, at each..
$1.69 and $1.98 women's small size crepe kimonas go at, choice..
$1.50 women's colored, woven stripe voile sport waists at, each..
$1.25 and $1.50 coat middies, plain or fancy stripe trimmed, at..
$1.95 women's tan figured linen tub skirts, 26 to 30 waist bands.
$1.50 to $1.95 white pique and white gabardine wash skirts, for..
$1.75 front lace corsets, in sizes 26, 27 and 28 only, choice at.....
$1.50 to $1.95 lace and embroidery trimmed envelope chemise at.
$1.50 and $1.69 flesh crepe de chine lace trimmed camisoles at...
$1.50 and $1.69 lace and embroidery trimmed petticoats, choice.
$1.50 and $1.69 lace and embroidery trimmed corset covers, each
$1.50 and $1.75 lace trimmed V-neck and slip-over night gowns.
Plain blue chambra petticoats, trimmed with striped gingham at




# 3,000 Children's Dresses At Less Than Cost To Make

—Mothers: School time will soon be here. The children will need dresses. Buy a big supply during this sale, for less than the cost of making and materials.

—Regular 69c children's dresses; sale price, each..... **39c**

—Regular 89c children's dresses; sale price, each..... **49c**

—The season's very prettiest styles, made of fast color chambras, striped, checked and plaid ginghams, percales, etc. An opportunity of a lifetime. Come Wednesday.

—Regular $1.50 children's dresses; sale price, each..... **98c**

—Regular $2.50 children's dresses; sale price, each.... **1.49**

## WEDNESDAY: $3.00 AND $4.00 VELVET HATS----ALL COLORS $1.49

—Here is your opportunity to buy one of the new velvet hats; the fashions created for late summer and early fall wear; the dressiest things that have been shown this season, and right now at the height of popularity. Just 50 of them on sale Wednesday. The large, dressy sailor effects, made of superfine velvets, with plain band trimmings. They're shown in white and all colors—blues, gold, rose, white, etc. Velvet hats that have been selling the past month for $3 and $4—choice Wednesday .....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## LOST AND FOUND.

**Lost**—Brooch, black enamel on platinum with solitaire diamond in center. Reward if returned to 404 W. Main, apartment 2. M. E. Hoke.

**Will Party** who took umbrella from Examining Board office, Court House, by mistake, return same. Call phone 4338.

**Lost**—Rent lamp and license 293488, between Decatur and Mattoon Sunday. N. W. Spear, R. 4, Mattoon, or E. L. Owen, 901 E. Greenwood Ave., Decatur.

**Lost**—Small brown purse, containing $17, between I. C. R. R. and Citizens bank. Return to Review. Reward.

**Lost**—Man's signet ring at Fairies park or near I. C. R. R. station. Return to 788 N. Union. Reward. Phone 2305.

**Lost**—Tokin purse between Gushard's and Center St., on Water, contained $8.65, watch check and knife with name "Conley" on handle. Return to Post's Jewelry store, or phone Bell 4195. Reward.

**Lost**—Red cow, blind in right eye, black tail, wt. about 1400 lbs. Chas. Auld, Insdale.

**Lost**—Between Decatur and Cerro Gordo, on William St. road, 1 demountable rim and tire and tire holder, size tire 33x4. Lost Friday night, July 27. Finder please return same or notify Box 8, Cerro, Ill and receive reward.

## WANTED—POSITIONS.

**Wanted**—Situation by competent woman as housekeeper, country or small town preferred. H-599, Review.

**Wanted**—Position as housekeeper for small family or elderly couple or ladies' companion. Bell 6731.

## WANTED—MALE HELP.

**Wanted**—Married man to work on farm. Bell phone 1912.

**Wanted—First class machinists. Chuse Engine & Mfg. Co., Mattoon, Ill.**

**Young Man** seventeen years, college high school education; good penman, accurate with figures; three years' experience in real estate and insurance office, during vacation. Address G-645, care Review.

**Wanted** 50 men, 18 to 25 years old, for work in canning factory. Wages 25 to 30 cents per hour. Long season, lots of overtime. Apply by letter or person on or before August 18, at which time we expect to start. Applicants must be able bodied, active men, who are willing to hustle for a premium. No boozers need apply. Warrensburg Canning Co., Warrensburg, Ill.

**Wanted**—Experienced cook. Angle Hotel.

**Wanted**—Barber, under Milliken Bank; $15 guaranteed and 65% over $21; union shop.

**Wanted**—Carpenter and repair work at rear of 240 W. Main. Bell 2621.

**Wanted**—Barber, $15 guarantee, with 65 per cent; job good for $20 to $30 per week. Wire me at my expense. Ransom Lewis, 9½ E. Main St., Danville, Ill.

**WANTED—LABORERS 221 Millikin Bldg.**

**Help Wanted. Laborers handling scrap iron. Steady work. Store Dept., Wabash Ry.**

**Wanted** — Good steady barber at once; young man preferred. Rump and Jones, Morrisonville, Ill.

**Wanted**—First class tool and die makers, machinist and tool room grinder hands. Highest wages paid to good men; none but first class men need apply. Wagner Electric Mfg Co., St. Louis, Mo.

**Wanted**—Carpenter and repair work at rear of 240 W. Main. Bell 2621.

## WANTED—FEMALE HELP.

**Girls Wanted—Apply at Decatur Garment Co.**

**Wanted**—Experienced women for general house work; steady place; good wages. 1146 Henderson Ave.

**Wanted**—A competent, middle aged woman for general house work; no washing. Mrs. Geo. S. Connelly, Mt. Pulaski, Ill.

**Wanted**—Girl for general house work, in family of two; 540 W. King.

**Wanted**—2 good maids; one for cook, and one for house work; references; 337 W. Decatur.

**Wanted**—Good girl for general house work. Also reliable nurse girl; 680 W. William.

## WANTED—TO BUY.

**Wanted** — Poultry, eggs, hide and junk, market price, will send out cut. Gen. Junk Poultry Co. Bell 3045.

**Wanted**—Old false teeth. Don't matter if broken. I pay $2 to $15 per set. Send by parcel post and receive check by return mail. L. Mazer, 2007 S. Fifth Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

**WANTED** — Men's clothing and shoes, furniture of all kinds; bicycles; in fact anything. Bell 6028; 601 N. Water. 92f9

## WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

**Wanted**—Laundry work, family and bundle washing of all kinds. Bell 3591.

**Wanted**—Place to board 4 year old boy by week, with good reliable people. Phone 400 or write Mrs. Reese, 120 E. North.

**Wanted**—Married couple or two young ladies to room with board if desired, private family, 140 W. King.

**Wanted**—Light hauling. Call R. H. Oliphant. Bell 4327.

**Wanted**—If you want your walls nicely papered, floors waxed and polished or varnished, call Adam Page, plaster patching and repairing rental property, wall paper cleaning. 240 W. Main. Bell 511.

**Wanted**—Paper hanging, rooms papered for $3 and paper furnished. A. D. Lynn, 440 E. Orchard. Bell 2459.

**Wanted**—Watch repair work of all kinds. I buy old gold, silver and platinum. W. E. Gray, 604 E. Eldorado.

**If you want** a good well, call F. H. Washburn, 1067 W. Green. Bell 4344.

**WANTED**—All farmers to know that I will pay cash for all dead stock. Wm. Price, 904 North Monroe. Bell phone 4431; Auto 3024. 6033

**WANTED**—Your watch repair work. We sell and repair American makes. CHAW, the Watch Man, 147 Merchant St. 6013

## WANTED—TO RENT.

**Wanted**—A good furnished modern house, 8 or 9 rooms, for the coming college year, location south of Wabash and west of College. Phone the University office.

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**Wanted to Rent**—Small truck farm, 10, 12 or 15 acres, for spring of 1918 by experienced farmer. H-612, care Review.

**Wanted**—To rent a canoe for a week. Call Bell 2288.

**Wanted to Rent** — Large house or flat for rooming purposes. Bell 4693.

## FOR RENT—ROOMS.

**For Rent**—Desirable front room; well fur., city heat, mod.; 841 N. Edward.

**For Rent**—Furn. room with board, suitable 2 gentlemen. 226 W. Eldorado.

**Wanted**—Men roomers at 1062 E. Pearl St. Bell 4001.

**For Rent**—Unfurnished rooms, city steam heat; modern except bath. MRS. TURNER, 830 N. Main. Phone 1087.

**For Rent**—6 rooms and bath, over store. Cor. Packard and Monroe. Apply W. W. Bryan. Phone 2727.

**For Rent**—Furnished room, modern. 1209 W. Macon. Phone 4269.

**For Rent**—In New Suffern building, corner N. Main and Prairie, 4 medium size rooms, one at head of stairs; good for single office rooms, or can be used as suite. Telephone 1490.

**For Rent**—Cool mod. rooms, private, close in; 412 W. Decatur. Bell 4373.

**For Rent**—Furnished room, modern, cool, reasonable. 712 W. Main.

**For Rent**—Furnished modern rooms, private home, 855 W. Main. Bell 2384.

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**For Rent**—In modern home, 2 furnished housekeeping rooms. Bell 3149.

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**For Rent**—Furnished housekeeping rooms, modern; no children; 334 W. Main.

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**For Rent**—Modern rooms for sleeping or light housekeeping. 455 W. Main.

## FOR RENT—FLATS.

**For Rent**—Beautiful 6 room modern flat, city heat, private entrance. 824 N. Edward St. Possession Sept. 1st, next. J. T. Whitley.

**For Rent**—5 room flat in Duplex house; all modern, delightfully cool, exposure on all sides, city heat. Apply A. E. Caldwell, 912 W. Decatur. Phone 334.

**For Rent**—Flat, steam heated; modern. 143 N. Water. Bell 98. R. C. Augustine.

## FOR RENT—HOUSES.

**For Rent**—6 room partly modern house, S. W. corner S. Main and Decatur. Inquire 455 S. Main; no objections to light housekeepers.

**For Rent**—4 room house, S. Illinois; electric lights, gas. Phone 5285.

**For Rent**—5 room house, new, 1278 W. Loren. 5 room house, 1250 W. Green. Inquire next door east.

**For Rent**—5 room dwelling, 1205 E. Garfield; 6 room dwelling, Cor. Condit and Third; 3 room dwelling 1415 N. Railroad Ave. R. R. Montgomery & Son. Phone 141 E. Main.

**For Rent**—Large 2 room house, $7; 3 blocks from Starch Works. 2457 E. Eldorado.

**For Rent**—4 room house, 2 blocks from Transfer. Inquire T. L. Corley, St. James Hotel.

**For Rent**—5 room cottage, 204 E. Johns, $16; lower flat, 4 rooms, 752 E. Johns, $12. Both partially modern. Latham, 221 S. Park.

**For Rent**—5 room partly mod. house, 1200 block W. Forest, 256 W. Main.

**For Rent**—5 room mod. house, 1204 W. Eldorado. Call or 256 W. Main.

**For Rent**—8 room modern house at 178 N. Calhoun. Bell 2314.

**For Rent**—6 room cottage, part modern, 1126 N. Illinois. Inquire Bell 1158.

**For Rent**—6 room modern cottage, close in. 847 E. Glade. Bell 2305.

**For Rent**—2 modern houses, 8 and 9 rooms, 1100 block N. Union. Bell 6197.

**For Rent**—5 room strictly modern cottage, 1446 N. Church St. Call Bell 517 or 4002.

## FOR RENT.

**For Rent**—Store room and basement, 104 E. Prairie. R. R. Montgomery & Son, Phone 141 E. Main.

**For Rent**—Store room, cor. E. Wood and Broadway; good location; rent right; phone 534; 912 W. Decatur.

**For Rent**—The May store building, now vacant; living rooms, two lots, fenced, corner Harrison and Graceland Ave. Good location for grocery, much needed. Apply J. R. Greenwood, 2224 Graceland Ave. R.F.D. 2

**For Rent**—Store room 20x100. 144 S. Main. Inquire 120 E. Wood.

**For Rent—Stores—$16 and $19. 231 and 241 E. Eldorado.**

## FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

**For Sale**—Second hand No. 5 Underwood typewriter. Wallender & Wilder, 129 N. Main street.

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**For Sale**—Good horse cheap. 1017 E. Eldorado. Bell 2330.

**For Sale**—Horse cheap. Call Chas. W. Moffitt, County, 183, ring 2.

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**For Sale**—One furniture wagon with covered top and side curtains, 1 light spring wagon, 1 first class road wagon with rubber tires, good paint, cost new 250, an extra nice rig. Deer Furniture Co.

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**For Sale**—1916 Studebaker 6 cyl. touring good condition. Decatur Auto Exchange, 121 N. Church.

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**For Sale—City Property**—Will sell my home at a bargain; 6 room cottage with bath, hot water heat, electric lights, gas, concrete basement, sleeping porch, barn, fine shade; 50 feet front on ornamental lighted street; two full lots. A snap for some one if taken at once. H. J. Dearth, owner, 1755 North Main.

**For Sale**—Very cheap, 6 room mod. house good location. 1236 E. Main St. Low price, $2600. Call August Hackert, Lovington, Ill. G. D.

**For Sale**—8 room house, 2 lots, fruit and garden, 2075 E. William.

**For Sale**—6 room almost new, modern bungalow, 124 Dennis, Oakdale addition. Terms; no agents. Bell 6390.

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**For Sale**—Hotel and cafe in town of 1,200, no competition, 15 rooms and good soft drink parlor; good reason for selling. Act quick; this place is going to sell. H-599, care Review.

**For Sale**—Soft Walrus Soda Fountain in good condition. Address G-608, Review.

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## SPECIAL NOTICES.

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The above property, known as the George E. Morehouse place, is offered for sale by the trustees of the estate of Mrs. Morehouse.

This property is located on northeast corner of West Macon and South Edward streets, Decatur, Ill., and is one of the best residence districts in the city, and only five blocks from Transfer house.

The lot has a frontage of 100 feet on West Macon street and 155 feet on South Edward street, with beautiful shade on lot and boulevard, and the two-story brick house contains 12 large rooms with bath. Property can be inspected at any time.

For price and terms, apply to J. D. Johnson, over Post's Jewelry Store, 127 East Prairie.

## PLAN TO RAISE HEAT RATES AT CLINTON

Clinton, Aug. 7.—The city council was notified last night that the board of public utilities at Springfield had been petitioned by the Clinton Gas & Electric Co. that the flat rates for city heat be changed to meter rates. A hearing will be conducted Aug. 20. All of the McKinley interests are asking for a change to the meter system, which in Clinton has proven to several property owners to be a raise in the rates.

The McKinley interests are bringing the petition for change before the utilities commission from a number of their string of plants in Illinois. The possibility of the commission's acting favorably seem very good under present conditions.

TALK OVER PARK PLAN.

The proposition of purchasing the lots on East Main street for a city park, presented by E. B. Palmer at the last council meeting, was discussed and a committee composed of Mayor Rundle, Commissioners Lundh and Carter, was appointed to investigate the advisability of such purchase and also the price these lots could be obtained for.

SCHOOL VACANCIES FILLED.

There are now but ten schools without teachers in all the rural districts of the county. Miss Alice Reilly will teach the Champion school, district 67. Miss Sarah Constant will teach at Rock Creek, and Miss Fern Costley will return to the Davenport school in Barnett township. At a meeting of the directors of district 18 the Parnell school arrangements were made whereby the Parnell school will be improved so that it can be entered on the standard list, which is rapidly growing in this county.

TWO SUITS FILED.

Two suits were filed Monday against the Illinois Central and Big Four railroads to compel these roads to install track scales at the grain elevators at Fullerton and Farmer City. The suit against the Illinois Central is brought by C. F. Shore & Co., of Fullerton, and the Farmer City Grain Co. is suing the Big Four. The case promises to be one of interest, as both roads have repeatedly refused to place these scales.

INJURED IN CHICAGO.

Fred Howard, who is employed with the Illinois Central at Chicago, while at work in the shops last week had his finger caught in one of the machines, severely lacerating it. He came home to visit his mother, Mrs. Sophia Howard, 314 North Madison street, and will remain until the injured hand is well.

K. OF C. RAISE $595.

The local Knights of Columbus council has closed its campaign with the result that $595 have been raised for the support of the quarters similar to those already provided by the Y. M. C. A. These quarters are to be open to everyone in the army, regardless of whether they are members of the Knights of Columbus or not.

The campaign for $1,000,000 has been successfully closed by the Knights of Columbus in the stated time.

**His 29th Anniversary.**

Monday was the twenty-ninth anniversary of Officer Herman Koeppe's appearance on the Decatur police department. It was also the twenty-ninth anniversary of the birth of his son, Herman W. Koeppe, Jr., now enroute to France with a regiment of railway engineers. In years of service Officer Koeppe is the oldest man on the force. He has served in every capacity from patrolman to chief.

## LEGAL NOTICES.

ATTACHMENT NOTICE. State of Illinois, Macon County, ss. In the Circuit Court. To the October Term, A. D. 1917. Charles Shepherd vs. George W. Henderson, et al. Attachment. No. 24334.

It appearing by affidavit filed in my office that the defendant in the above entitled cause, George W. Henderson, is not a resident of the State of Illinois, notice is hereby given you, the said George W. Henderson, that on the 26th day of March A. D. 1917, there was issued out of the office of the undersigned, clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon County, Illinois a Writ of Attachment, directed to the Sheriff of said Macon County commanding him that he attach so much of the estate, real and personal, of you—the said George W. Henderson—to be found in the said County of Macon and State of Illinois as shall be of value sufficient to satisfy the amount of money due and owing him, the said Charles Shepherd, to wit: Eight Hundred Dollars ($800) together with the interest on the same, all of which said sum is now due and unpaid after allowing all just credits and set-offs. And that said Writ of Attachment has been returned duly executed and such a suit is now pending before the said Circuit Court of Macon County, Illinois. And unless you, the said George W. Henderson, shall appear, give bail and plead within the time limited for your appearance in such case, judgment will be entered and the estate so attached will be sold.

Dated at Decatur, Illinois this 4th day of August 1917.

(Seal.) JOHN ALLEN,
Clerk Circuit Court of Macon County, Illinois.
L. O. Williams, Attorney for Plaintiff.

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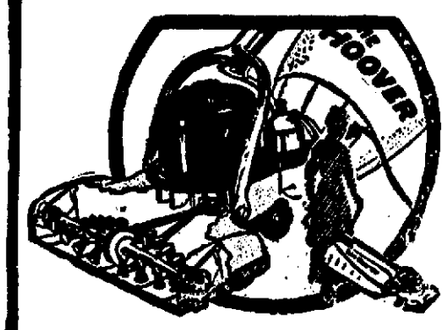


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# 36 OF 46 DRAFTED MOULTRIE MEN PASS

## Many to Ask Exemeption at Sullivan.

Sullivan, Aug. 7. — The Moultrie County Exemption board began work Monday examining registrants for the army draft. Dr. J. F. Lawson, examining physician was assisted by Dr. W. R. Hoover of Lovington and Dr. G. B. Kessler did the re-examining. By noon they had examined thirty-three and by the middle of the afternoon they had examined forty-six.

FOUR FAILED TO REPORT.

Four of those who were supposed to report for examination Monday failed to show up. They are Paul O Pifer of Arthur, Harry Hallenbeck of Bruce, Delmer L. Lewis of Findlay and Walter S. Magee of Lovington. The board had a report from Magee that he was ill and unable to be present and the attending physician's certificate was presented to the baord. Dr. Hoover will examine him.

The board did not give out what they would do with the other three who failed to show up for their examination.

Only ten failed on the physical examination out of forty-six. Those passing the physical examination in the order in which they are eligible to draft are. Oliver R. Armantrout, Coles station; Elmer M. Murry, Sullivan; James Frederick Lehman, Sullivan; Herschell B. Hale, Bethany; James Wm. Borders, Sullivan; Willis W. Cochran, Lovington; Harvey A Gigodwin, Dalton City; John A. Helton, Arthur; Myles E. Taylor, Findlay; Benjamin Samuel Kracht, Sullivan; Orville L. George, Sullivan; Earl Flynn,( Sullivan; Willis Allen, Sullivan; Claude Brown, Arthur Opal E. Foster, Lovington; Henry J. Francis Lovington; Fred W. Holman, Lake City; Jesse E. Fifer, Arthur; Jonas A Saxton, Arthur; Frank E. Cullen, Sullivan. Dr. Samuel J. Lewis, Lovington; O. Earl Bundy, Bruce; Harry M. Reynolds, Lovington; Walter E. LaCrone, Kirksville; Coy Weaver Brown Bethany; Francis Elory Olmstead, Allenville; Edmond O. Dunn, Sullivan; Perry Joshua Bartimus, Gays; Erwin A. Vollmer, Dalton City; Ernest Doughty, Sullivan; Roy Stewart, Lovington; Charles Dick, Arthur; Oda E. Curry, Gays; Noah D. Miller, Arthur; Jesse Bolin, Findlay and Brafel Vivian, Arthur.

None of these have been passed on except for physical examination and several of them have asked for exemption and others are expected to do the same but no action has been taken by the board on the exemptions. Tuesday they will examine those numbering from fifty to one hundred and one, starting with number fifty-one and ending with No. 101.

Homer W. Wright, who is acting as clerk to the board and Frank W. McPheeters were clerks to the physicians Monday while they did the examining. It was after 4 o'clock Monday evening before the board gave out any information as to how many failed to pass the physical examination as some had to be re-examined by Dr. Kessler.

RED CROSS DEMONSTRATION.

A patriotic Red Cross meeting has been arranged for Wednesday afternoon at Wyman park. Three divisions of the University of Chicago Ambulance corps will be here and demonstrate the work of those doing duty with ambulances at the battle fields. The ambulances will arrive here from Decatur Wednesday noon and will be accompanied by thirty of the University of Chicago ambulance corps. The procession will leave the public square for the park at 1 o'clock where they will do drill work and go through all of the work they would be required to do in real action.

A benefit baseball game will be played between members of Company C, Fourth Infantry and the drafted men. There will also be an exhibition drill by Company C.

The re-union of the Moultrie County Battalion will also be held at the park Wednesday and their program will start at 1 o'clock in the morning. In the afternon they will hold their program until the patriotic meeting is over and then at 7:30 in the evening they will have a camp fire and a short program. The Sullivan band has been engaged to play during the day.

The city council met in regular session Monday evening. The ordinance in reference to traction engines crossing city pavement was changed. They also passed the appropriation ordinance.

Miss Edith Swander of Cerro Gordo is here visiting her aunt, Mrs. David R. Roadman.

Another rain fell here Monday evening starting in before 7 o'clock and continuing a steady rain until 8 o'clock.

The Just Us club met at the home of Mrs. Carl R. Hill Monday afternoon and gave a miscellaneous shower for Miss Flossie Burns, who is soon to be married to a Bloomington man and to Mrs. Walter H. White, formerly Miss Beatrice Campbell, both members of the club.

J. C. Finley transacted business in Decatur Tuesday forenoon, between trains.

Miss Golda Creech, chief telephone operator at the exchange, went to Illiopolis Tuesday morning to assist in the work at the exchange there for a few days.

# CHRISTIAN COUNTY IN FINE SHOWING

## High Per Cent of Men Examined Qualify.

Taylorville, Aug. 7. — Christian county is making a fine showing through the work of her exemption board. It is believed that the entire quota for this county will be secured by the first of next week. Already 500 or more men have been examined and a high percentage of them have qualified and refused to claim exemption. These are the men who will make up the new National army.

Following are the names of the men and how they stand:

PASS, NO EXEMPTION CLAIM.

Leo F. Michenhier, Pana.
William B. Angleton, Edinburg.
[illegible] Thompson, Nokomis.
[illegible] M Kenny, Edinburg.
William M. Miller, Taylorville.
Edmund Hutte, Pana.
Charles Harlow, Owaneco.
Charles M. Baugher, Pana.
Ethrum H. Arthur, Taylorville.
Charley J. Ullrich, Pana.
Roy E. Ellrich, Taylorville.
Dwight H. Richardson, Edinburg.
Virail S. Davis, Morrisonville.
Otis C. Lockwood, Stonington.
Harry Grant, Kincaid.
John W. Gauer, Morrisonville.
Seward M. Long, Assumption.
Antone Corso, Tovey.
Earl H. Henry, Pana.
Wilbur Lee Huggins, Edinburg.
Herschel Stuart, Bolivia.
Frank P. Greive, Edinburg.
Oscar L. Swinger, Morrisonville.
18—Macalli Cittorio, Stonington.
41—Merle Welth, Edinburg.
42—Louis G. Schmidt, Nokomis.
68—Ortie H. Bullard, Morrisonville.
82—Owen B. McLean, Morrisonville.
92—George A. Lanken, Morrisonville.
108—Arthur B. Columius, Nokomis.
112—James E. McKittrick, Pana.
114—John Finnegan, Assumption.
119—Harrison H. Carns, Morrisonville.
122—Robert B. Smith, Pana.
124—Ray Johnson, Taylorville.
140—Camiel Peere, Pana.
142—R. C. Deffenbaugh.
Lee R. Darringer, Taylorville.
Roy Batton, Pana.
Lawrence F. Mack, Pana.
71—Charles Randel, Pana.
87—John Kroninger, Owaneco.
91—Harry Jeffries, Pana.
88—Clyde W. Atkinson, Taylorville.
109—M. R. Brewster, Pana.
117—Alfred Campbell, Kincaid.
125—George Greive, Edinburg.
127—Irl Kretsinger, Taylorville.
128—Benjamin R. Sutton, Taylorville.
131- Quincy Hohenstein, Mt. Auburn.
134—Grover Watkins, Owaneco.
136—Walter Cornelius, Morrisonville.
139—Andrew Bourey, Pana.
146—James Pope, Morrisonville.
147—William Kappwitz, Nokomis.
150—Guy L. Rigsby, Stonington.
152—Charles Greaves, Kincaid.
153—Dan Johnson, Stonington.
154—Harry Maze, Taylorville.
153—William Nelson, Taylorville.
161—Solomon Broverman, Taylorville.
164—Ralph Stimbel, Edinburg.
166—Lloyd Anderson, Taylorville.
169—James Heckman, Assumption.
171—Harry Peel, Taylorville.
174—August Kronshager, Pana.
176—David O'Bryan, Taylorville.
177—Marion Leighty, Pana.
179—Thomas Steele, Morrisonville.
180—John Conturrans, Stonington.
185—Leslie Childers, Taylorville.
187—Wiley Morton, Mt. Auburn.
188—Elmer Hudgins, Pawnee.
151—Ira Osborn, Pana.
165—Jess Jones, Pawnee.
167—Clement R. Richardson, Assumption.
175- Peter Blessant, Stonington.
183—Lee Blear, Bolivia.

REJECTED, PHYSICAL REASONS.

Robert L. Davis, Taylorville.
Lyman G. Richardson, Stonington.
Ray Herman, Mt. Auburn.
William Buhr, Taylorville.
Harvey M. Neisler, Pana.
Verne L. Allen, Stonington.
Otis Guy Spindel, Taylorville.
Charles D. Kitchell, Morrisonville.
Walter G. Kettlekamp, Nokomis.
Henry F. Kiefling, Pana.
19—Louis Neighbors, Taylorville.
39—Garland Parks, Taylorville.
43—George Burke, Pana.
47—John Megaw, Taylorville.
51—John Sahl, Morrisonville.
56—John Roach, Kincaid.
66—John E. Cody, Palmer.
75—Bruce L. Carey, Edinburg.
79—Simon Clavin, Morrisonville.
93—John Stapleton, Stonington.
99—Perry S. Winslow, Taylorville.
100—Roscoe A. Prater, Taylorville.
101—Perry Barnes, Taylorville.
111—Cleo King, Pana.
113—Earl C. Smith, Taylorville.
115—Omer J. McClughan, Taylorville.
116—Wayne W. Hicks, Pana.
120—Ross Bozarth, Taylorville.
121—Abner Rhoads, Morrisonville.
123—Steve Magos, Tovey.
129—John M. Creamer, Assumption.
132—Albert Hill, Taylorville.
135—Edward Leslie, Morrisonville.
138—Charles D. Kay, Pana.
143—Roy E. Smith, Stonington.
144—Clyde A. Deal, Morrisonville.
145—Frank F. Swanski, Assumption
148—Benjamin Michael, Assumption.
149—William Williams, Mechanicsburg.

ACCEPTED, ASK EXEMPTION.

John H. Kent, Morrisonville.
Warren W. Rinehart, Taylorville.
William G. Gudehus, Rosemond.
Theodore H. Langen, Morrisonville.
Earl W. Sarver, Pana.
Charley Palmer, Pana
Alfred F. Davis, Pawnee.
George E. Mattes, Mt. Auburn.
Harley Anderson, Morrisonville.
James O Lawler, Stonington.
Paul Demascal, Assumption.
William J. England, Morrisonville.
Joseph Sanderock, Taylorville.
David M. Newcome, Taylorville.
Hollis L. Conrod, Taylorville.
Charles W. Brackett, Assumption
Richard H. McMurray, Pana.
Roland M. Forbes, Morrisonville.
Hal B. Alexander, Pana.
William P. Blackwood, Kincaid.
Arch C. Callaway, Taylorville.
George A. Allen, Blue Mound.
Claude A. Huffmaster, Taylorville.
Guy E. Johnson, Morrisonville.
Melvin F. Hartel, Edinburg.
John E. Tierney, Taylorville.
Fred W. Klay, Pana
Clinton C. Lesenre, Pana.
Othello L. Ashcraft, Pana.
Richard J. Murquard, Stonington.
Floyd W. Brown, Edinburg.
John W. Gundell, Pana.
Garth Beuche, Assumption.
William T. Larkin Taylorville

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# EQUITABLE LIFE OF IOWA'S REMARKABLE RECORD

The record of production of new business for the first half of 1917, totaling $17,854,263, is a gain of nearly $6,000,000 over the same period last year, and, until quite recently, this total is more than the annual production of that (Equitable Life) company's agency forces. Starting with 1915 when this increased momentum first began to show real signs in the company's realization of the $100,000,000 insurance in force mark by the close of the year, nearly every month has shown a production increase over the same month in any previous year. Total business in force as of July 1 is $131,577,981, a net gain for the first half of the year of $13,257,528. The company has gained more than $30,000,000 in insurance in force in the past eighteen months. The company's record of mortality for the first six months of 1917 is only 35.6 per cent as compared with 38.6 per cent. for the same period last year. The total claims paid during the first half year for 1917 total $292,682.97.

—"The Insurance Field"—

## LATHAM MAN GETS STATE POSITION

Dr. N. D McQueen of Latham has just been notified by the State Civil Service commission that he has been appointed an assistant state veterinarian. Dr. McQueen took the examination on March 3 and passed with a high average. He is a graduate of the Terre Haute Veterinary college and has been located at Latham for the past three years. Dr. McQueen will continue his practice in Latham as well as do his new work

## *INDUSTRIAL STOCKS TAKE SETBACK*

New York, Aug. 7.—The heaviness of industrials became more pronounced later, reversals extending to 4½ points in old Bethlehem Steel, 2⅝ for the new, and 1 to 2 points among other stocks of the same class. Equipments, motors, leathers, Industrial Alcohol, distillers, American Tobacco, Utah Copper, Texas Company and Cuba Cane Sugar were included among the other backward features. Moderate rallies occurred before midday. Liberty Bonds sold from 99.62 to 99.86, the latter a low record for full lots.

# MARKETS

## CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE QUOTATIONS

(Furnished by Ware & Leland.)

Following is the range of prices with yesterday's close:

| | Open. | High. | Low. | Close. | Yes. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| WHEAT— | | | | | |
| Sep. | .... | 225 @ .... | 223¾ | 224½ | 225 |
| CORN— | | | | | |
| Dec | 116¾@116 | 117¾ | 116¾ | 116¾ | 116¼ |
| May | 113¾@113 | 114¾ | 112¾ | 113¾ | 113⅝ |
| OATS— | | | | | |
| Sep. | 58⅛@ .... | 59 | 58⅛ | 58⅝ | 58⅝ |
| Dec | 58⅛@ 58⅝ | 58⅝ | 58⅝ | 58⅝ | 58⅞ |
| May | 61½@ .... | 62½ | 61⅝ | 61⅞ | 62 |
| PORK— | | | | | |
| Sep. | 4210@ .... | 4210 | 4180 | 4180 | 4210 |
| LARD— | | | | | |
| Sep. | 2245@ .... | 2245 | 2220 | 2222 | 2235 |
| Oct. | 2235@ 2232 | 2235 | 2230 | 2232 | 2247 |
| RIBS— | | | | | |
| Sep. | 2260@ .... | 2272 | 2255 | 2257 | 2255 |
| Oct. | 2252@ .... | 2262 | 2242 | 2242 | 2265 |

# Market Gossip

PRIMARY MOVEMENTS.

| Receipts — | Today. | Yr. Ago. |
|---|---|---|
| Wheat | 1,004,000 | 2,027,000 |
| Corn | 432,000 | 439,000 |
| Oats | 720,000 | 1,754,000 |
| Shipments— | | |
| Wheat | 755,000 | 908,000 |
| Corn | 381,000 | 376,000 |
| Oats | 491,000 | 877,000 |

CHICAGO CARS.

| | Rcts. | Cont. | Estd. | Yr. Ago. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Wheat | 121 | 65 | 121 | 648 |
| Corn | 189 | 131 | 218 | 371 |
| Oats | 290 | 80 | 261 | 1147 |

LONDON SILVER.

London, Eng., Aug. 7.—Bar silver, 41½d per ounce.
Money 4 per cent.

INSPECTED CARS.

Chicago, Aug. 6—Inspected cars, Wheat, 227; corn, 215; oats, 334.

## LIVE STOCK

## DEMAND IN EAST LIFTS HOG PRICES

Chicago, Aug. 7. — Broad demand from eastern buyers, together with the fact that receipts were not liberal tended today to lift the value of hogs. Cattle offerings did not seem over plentiful. The sheep supply exceeded the immediate requirements of the trade.

HOGS — Receipts 10,000 head, estimated receipts for Wednesday, 26,000 head; market slow, 5 to 10 cents above yesterday's average. Bulk of sales, $15.60@16.50, light, $15.00@16.50; mixed, $15.10@16.50, heavy, $14.85@16.60, rough, $14.85@15.10, pigs, $11.25@14.25.

CATTLE — Receipts 4,000 head; estimated receipts for Wednesday, 17,000 head; market firm. Native beef cattle, $7.50@14.75, western steers, $8.20@11.50; stockers and feeders, $5.75@9.10, cows and heifers, $4.30@11.75; calves, $8.50@13.25.

SHEEP — Receipts 9,000 head; estimated receipts for Wednesday, 12,000 head, market weak. Wethers, $7.50@10.65, lambs, $9.00@14.30

## Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, Aug. 7.—HOGS — Receipts 9,000 head; market 10 to 15 cents higher. Bulk of sales, $15.00@16.30, heavy, $16.00@16.45; packers and butchers, $15.50@16.35, light, $14.75@15.90; pigs, $9.50@12.25.

CATTLE — Receipts 9,000 head, including 100 head southerns; market strong to 15 cents higher. Stockers and feeders $6.25@11.50; bulls, $6.00@7.50, calves, $6.00@10.50.

SHEEP — Receipts 4,000 head; market strong. Lambs, $13.25@14.25, yearlings, $9.00@11.00; wethers, $8.50@10.00, ewes, $8.00@9.25.

## St. Louis Live Stock.

St. Louis, Aug. 7.—HOGS — Receipts 7,500 head, market for best 10 to 15 cents higher; others 25 cents higher. Lights, $16.15@16.60; pigs, $10.50@14.75; mixed and butchers, $16.20@16.70, good heavy, $16.65@16.75; bulk of sales, $16.20@16.65.

CATTLE — Receipts 2,500 head; market strong. Native beef steers, $7.50@12.50, yearling steers and heifers, $8.50@12.50; cows, $6.00@10.50; stockers and feeders, $6.00@9.50, prime yearling steers and heifers, $7.50@10.40, native calves, $6.00@12.50.

SHEEP — Receipts 2,000 head; market steady. Lambs, $10.50@13.75, clipped ewes, $8.00@8.50, canners, $4.00@4.50, choppers, $6.00@6.50.

## Cleveland Live Stock.

U. S. Yards, Cleveland, Aug. 7.—Bower & Bower report hog receipts 1,100 head, market higher. Yorkers and mediums, $16.55@16.60, pigs, $14.75@15.00; calves, $13.00; lambs, $14.50@14.75, cattle, $5.50@10.50.

## Indianapolis Live Stock.

U. S. Yards, Indianapolis, Aug. 7.—Hog receipts 8,000 head, market higher. Top price, $16.65, bulk of sales, $16.50@16.55. Cattle receipts 850 head; market strong.

# PRODUCE

## New York Produce.

New York, Aug. 7.—BUTTER — Market irregular. Receipts 13,063 tubs. Creamery, higher than extras, 40½@41½c; creamery extras, 92 score, 40@40½c; firsts, 39@39½c; seconds, 37@38½c.

EGGS — Market firm. Receipts 21,235 cases. Fresh gathered extras, 40@41c; extra firsts, 38@39c; firsts, 36@37c; seconds, 35@36c.

CHEESE—Market firm. Receipts 3,876 boxes. State fresh specials, 22½@23c; do, average run, 21½@22½c.

POULTRY — Market for dressed poultry quiet; prices unchanged.

## Chicago Produce.

Chicago, Aug. 7.—BUTTER — Market higher. Creamery, 35½@39c.

EGGS — Receipts 15,631 cases; market unchanged.

POTATOES — Market unsettled. Receipts 22 cars. Virginia, barrels, $4.50@5.00; Minnesota, $1.30@1.40; home grown, $1.40@1.50.

POULTRY — Market for live poultry higher. Fowls, 18@20c, springs, 22@23c.

## New York Sugar.

New York, Aug. 7.—SUGAR — Market for raw sugar strong. Centrifugal, $7.27@7.40; molasses, $6.30@6.52½. Market for refined sugar steady. Cut loaf, $9.80; crushed $9.65; mould "A," $8.90; cubes, $9.15; XXXX powdered, $8.60; powdered, $8.55; fine granulated, $8.40; diamond "A," $8.40; confectioners "A," $8.30; No. 1, $8.25.

# GRAIN

## Peoria Cash Market.

Peoria, Aug. 7.—CORN — Market 1½ cents lower. No. 2 white, $2.40; No. 1 yellow, $2.32½@2.33; No. 2 yellow, $2.33@2.32½; No. 3 yellow, $2.32½; No. 5 yellow, $2.31½; No. 6 yellow, $2.31½; No. 2 mixed, $2.33@2.32½; No. 3 mixed, $2.32½; No. 6 mixed, $2.30½; sample, $2.27@2.30½.

OATS—Market 1 cent lower. Standard, 69½@70c; No. 3 white, 69@70c; No. 4 white, 68½c; No. 2 mixed, 69c.

## St. Louis Cash Market.

St. Louis, Aug. 7.—WHEAT — No. 1 red, $2.50; No. 2 red, $2.58; No. 3 red, $2.50; No. 5 red, $2.43@2.49; No. 2 hard, $2.65@2.69; No. 3 hard, $2.64.

CORN—No. 2, $2.32½; No. 3, $2.32½; No. 1 white, $2.38; No. 2 white, $2.37.

OATS—Standard, 72c; No. 3 white, 72c; No. 4 white, 70@71c; No. 2, 69@70½c; No. 3, 68@69c, sample, none.

## Chicago Cash Market.

Chicago, Aug. 7.—WHEAT — No. 2 red, $2.43@2.47; No. 3 red, $2.37@2.42; No. 2 hard, $2.60@2.61; No. 3 hard, $2.50@2.55.

CORN—No. 2 yellow, $2.32½@2.33; No. 3 yellow, $2.33@2.33½; No. 4 yellow, nominal.

OATS—No. 3 white, 67@70c, standard, 69@70c.

RYE—No. 2, $1.86@1.88.

BARLEY—$1.35@1.70.

TIMOTHY—$4.00@7.50.

CLOVER, $12.00@17.00.

PORK—$41.80.

LARD—$22.02@22.12.

RIBS—$22.25@22.52.

## DECATUR MARKETS.

These prices are offered farmers:

Decatur dealers are offered the following prices for grain:

| | |
|---|---|
| Wheat | $2.25 |
| Corn—Yellow | 2.27 |
| White and mixed | 2.22 |
| Oats | .53 |
| Rye | 1.25 |

Butter and Eggs.

Quoted by Max Atlass).

| | |
|---|---|
| Eggs | .29 |
| Butter, packing | .26 |

Poultry.

(Quotations to producers by Max Atlass)

| | |
|---|---|
| Hens, 4½ lbs and over | .16 |
| Hens, mediums | .16 |
| Springs | .18 |
| Springs, 1½ to 2 lbs | .17½ |
| Cocks | .11 |
| Stags | .14 |
| Old toms | .20 |
| Young Turkeys, 9 lbs and over | .22 |
| Geese | .16 |
| Ducks, young | .12 |
| Live pigeons, per doz | .60 |

Live Stock.

Quoted daily by G. J. Danielsen & Son)

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Heavy sows | 14.00@ | $14.50 |
| Hogs, 150-175 lbs | 14.00@ | 14.25 |
| Choice young hogs, 200 lbs | 14.75@ | ..... |
| Choice young hogs, 250 lbs | 15.25@ | ..... |
| Shipping steers | 8.00@ | 9.00 |
| Butcher steers | 6.00@ | 8.50 |
| Choice cows | 6.00@ | 6.50 |
| Medium cows | 5.00@ | 5.50 |
| Bulls | 5.50@ | 7.00 |
| Choice heifers | 7.50@ | 8.50 |
| Heifers, medium | 6.00@ | 7.00 |
| Sheep | 6.00@ | 8.00 |
| Sheep | 6.00@ | 8.00 |
| Spring lambs | 10.00@ | 11.50 |
| Yearling lambs | 10.00@ | 11.00 |
| Veal calves | 7.00@ | 9.50 |

Hides and Wool.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Horse hides, large | 6.50@ | 7.50 |
| Horse hides, small | 4.00@ | 6.00 |
| Sheep pelts | .60@ | 2.50 |
| Green beef hides | .17@ | .... |
| Cured hides | ....@ | .20 |
| Lamb pelts | .25@ | .50 |
| Medium wool | .50@ | .60 |
| Western wool | .35@ | .45 |
| Burry wool | .30@ | .42 |

# GRAIN PRICES STEADY TO GAIN

Chicago, Aug. 7.—General rains gave the bears an advantage today in the corn market. Predictions were current that owing to the favorable conditions of late the yield this season would be 100,000,000 bushels in excess of any previous record. Offerings, however, were not as large as most traders had expected, and a rally ensued. Opening prices, which ranged from ⅛c to ⅜c lower, with December at $1.16 to $1.16¼, and May at $1.18 to $1.18¼, were followed by a slight additional setback and then a reaction to a little above yesterday's finish.

The fact that rural offerings were not large, and that no big movement was expected until the new crop became assured led subsequently to a further advance, but not of a lasting sort. The close was steady at gains of ⅜ cent to ⅝ cent net, with December at $1.16⅝ and May $1.18⅝ to $1.18¾.

WHEAT.

Increased arrivals of new wheat had a bearish effect on that cereal. After opening unchanged at $2.25 September, the market receded to $2.24½.

Complaints of dry weather damage in Canada acted later as a prop for values. The close was steady, ⅝ cent net higher at $2.25¾ September.

Oats were depressed by forecasts that the government crop report would show 500,000,000 bushels more in prospect this season than was the case a year ago. Later, however, when corn made an upturn, oats did likewise.

Provisions ascended with hogs, but the bulge brought about most realizing and the gains were not held.

## Minneapolis Wheat.

Minneapolis, Aug. 7.—WHEAT — September, $2.25.

Cash: No. 1 northern, $2.95@3.00; No. 2 northern, $2.95@3.00.

CORN—No. 3 yellow, $2.24@2.29.

OATS—No. 3 white, 69@70c.

FLAX—$3.40@3.45.

# How are the Roads?

Earth roads in all directions are muddy.

Bloomington—Rains general are throughout McLean county. Roads in bad condition. Heavy dust prior to rain, makes roads very muddy.

Shelbyville—Roads very muddy.

Tuscola—Heavy rain Monday night. Roads muddy and slippery.

Moweaqua—Oiled roads north not hurt by rain. Muddy to the south.

Sullivan—Roads muddy.

Roads are muddy all over central Illinois except on the gravel. The rains of Sunday to the west of Niantic already had those roads in bad shape and the rain of Monday night put all the roads through this section of the country in the same condition.

Robert Mueller started to Springfield Monday noon and reached Buffalo, where the depth of mud suddenly became such that he was forced to return. Chains had little effect on the skidding and slipping car, and rather than struggle through the rest of the way on the same kind of highways the party returned to Decatur.

## *RAIN DELAYS DEWITT THRESHING*

Clinton, Aug. 7.—Monday night brought more rains, which will delay work again among the threshers, but will probably be a help to the corn crop. Weldon seems to have received the heaviest of the rain on Sunday night, although not in need of showers. Kenney, which needed rain, did not receive any on Sunday. Farmer City had rains last night at the same time that they were received in Clinton.

Before the last rains the west part of Dewitt county was in places badly in need of moisture, since some places had been without showers since June. The rains fell as far west as Kenney, but there was little there.

Deland on Sunday night had very heavy rains and in some places the hail laid corn low with considerable damage. Last night's showers were gentle in all places. The temperature has dropped from the real corn growing weather.

## ALLENVILLE.

Mrs. Mary French returned home Friday from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. I. O. Adams, in Dundee.

Miss Lucica Winchester of Sullivan, visited her sister, Mrs. Vey Osborne, Saturday and Sunday.

Edward Bruce of Findlay, visited relatives here last week.

Mrs. Scott Turner has returned to her home at Lake Fork, after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. P. Winchester

Miss Alta Nichols is visiting Miss Hazel Black in Cook's Mills.

Mrs. Edward Burcham and daughter, Chloris, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kirkpatrick and daughter, Lucille, Mrs. Emma Linder and daughter, Gladys and son Bradford, of Mattoon, and Mr. and Mrs. John Bolin of Sullivan, attended the funeral of Ruth French at the French church Friday afternoon.

Rev. W. D. Russell of Charleston, will preach at the Methodist church Sunday night.

Mrs. Julia Black of Cook's Mill visited her daughtr, Mrs. Rosa Nichols Sunday.

Mrs. C. E. McFerrin of Sullivan, visited her father, P. D. Preston and family Friday and Saturday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Adial Mazeden, Friday, Aug. 3, a daughter.

Misses Bertha and Gladys Preston, visited their brother, Cecil Preston and family in Lovington, the first of last week.


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Saxon Six, 16 Model, five-pass., electric starter, lights.

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This list will be revised from time to time. Watch for it.

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| | | |
|---|---|---|
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| $6.95 | Ladies' Silk Poplins Dresses, only | $3.50 |
| Up to $3 | Ladies' Wash Skirts, only | $1.00 |
| Up to $6 | Ladies' Wash Dresses only | $2.98 |
| 50c | Middy Blouses Good assortment of styles | 39c |
| 75c | Envelope Chemise Good assortment to select from | 47c |
| $1 | Girls' School Dresses Sizes 6 to 14 Years. | 77c |
| 25c | Ladies' Knit Drawers Lace at Knee | 17c |
| Up to $1.25 | Ladies' Aprons All styles and sizes | 88c |
| 15c | Children's Hose Black or White | 11½c |
| $1 | House Dresses, All sizes, made of gingham | 69c |
| 50c | Boys' Sport Blouses or Shirts, on sale at | 39c |

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## COWFORD ROAD NEXT

## Highway Leading East of City to Be Improved.

The allotment of the state appropriation for the improvement of state aid roads in Macon county is $16 450 Notice to this effect was received yesterday by County Clerk C. H. Patterson. This is $500 less than last year's allotment, which was $16,662. This shortage is due to certain deductions that were made for various purposes, as $50,000 for the maintenance of state aid roads already under construction and $100,000 for surveying and inspection.

COWFORD ROAD NEXT.

The county appropriation to meet the state allotment has already been made. The next road to be improved in Macon county is the Cowford bridge or Cantrell street road, leading east out of the city by way of Long Creek and Casner to the county line. This road was surveyed by the state engineers early in the spring, and it is believed that the contract can be let and the road built this year.

USE OF MONEY.

The last general assembly appropriated $1,100,000 for road aid, of which $100 000 was set aside for the surveying and inspection of the state aid roads now under construction and to be constructed, and also $50,000 for the maintenance of state aid roads for the years 1917 and 1918, leaving $950 000

Under section 15a of the state law, the state superintendent of highways is obliged to allot Cook county 25 per cent of the amount paid in by that county from the automobile tax, which gives Cook county $166,855 leaving the sum of $842,145 to be allotted to the remaining 101 counties on the basis of the amount paid in by each county as shown by the report of the state auditor.

AMOUNTS RAISED.

A circular came with the letter to Mr. Patterson, showing the amounts of money the various counties of the state raised during 1915 for the improvement of the roads of the county. The various townships of each county levy the amount of road and bridge tax for their own roads

# BULLETINS FROM TYPHOID PATIENTS

## Improvement Shown By All Sick Persons.

There were no new cases of typhoid fever reported today and most of the people who are ill with the fever are improving.

Robert Burke is much better today.

Fale Hurd is much better today and his relatives and friends feel very much encouraged.

Miss Charlotte West had a higher temperature today but she seems better than she did yesterday.

Ernest Hartman, aged ten, is improving slowly.

Mrs. Page Proctor has been improving but today no change could be noticed in her condition.

Miss Hazel Herman is doing nicely.

No change was noticed in the condition of Mrs. C. J. Van Deventer today but she still seems to be holding her own.

The three daughters of Mr and Mrs. Frank Bowman are all about the same, but Sarah seems to be much better than the other two.

Elton Ward is not as well today as he has been, but his father, Dr A. L. Ward, is about the same.

# KEEPING RECORD OF WOLF ARSON CASE

**Decatur Firemen Want Copies of Back Numbers of Review.**

Captain Samuel Morthland of No. 1 fire house would like to get copies of The Review of the following dates: Dec. 31, 1915; Feb. 8 and 28, 1916; March 19, 20, 24, 28 and 29, 1916; April 1, 2, 3, 6, and 27, 1916; January 15, 1917, and Feb. 7, 1917. If anyone should happen to have old copies of those dates that they do not care for, he would like to get them.

The department is compiling a sort of book on the John Wolf arson case, and the burning of the old Cassell house. They have many pictures taken of the various "plants" in the house, as found by the fire marshal's office. They also want the newspaper clippings in regard to the fire and the case for the book. As The Review does not keep back numbers over a year back, scarcely any of these papers can be supplied. Captain Morthland is at present away on his vacation, but papers can be left with C. A. Spence at No. 1 fire house.

**Cases in J. P. Courts.**

Effie Atwood, thirty-nine, 906 East North street, was arrested Monday evening on complaint of Annie M. Stiles for disturbing the peace, and was released on $50 bond to appear before Justice Keeler at 2 o'clock next Tuesday afternoon.

James N. Smith and Lizzie Hudson were arrested Monday night at 461 North Church street on complaint of Mrs. Ida Smith, who charged them with disorderly conduct. Each gave bond in the sum of $200 to appear before Justice Saxton at 1 o'clock Friday afternoon.

# WAR GARDENS IN THE FAR WEST

## J. O. Engleman Returns from Long Trip.

Superintendent J. O. Engleman came home last night from his six weeks vacation, returning from the east by way of the Pennsylvania. He spent the last three days with his relatives in southern Indiana. Mrs. Engleman stood the long trip well much better than was expected, and came home a great deal better than when she went away. In fact she is her normal self for the first time in many months.

WAR GARDENING

Two things impressed him on this trip, says Mr Engleman. One was the extent of war gardening from Decatur to Portland, Ore. Everywhere are war gardens and in the boulevards of Denver and in Weser and Boise, Ida., the parkings in the streets are planted in gardens. In Portland there are literally hundreds of acres of gardens. Portland had a boom which led to laying out many additions and suburbs. Six years ago the boom collapsed and the city is just now getting back to where it was before this collapse.

This year these hundreds of vacant lots in the outlying additions were planted in gardens, to a very large extent in potatoes, and the gardens are simply wonderful.

WAR IN CANADA.

The other thing which impressed him was that in Canada there is much less evidence of war than in the States. There is less war talk, fewer flags in evidence, fewer soldiers. They were a week in Canada and saw practically nothing of the war spirit which is in evidence every where in this country.

He was told that while Canada had nearly a half million soldiers in France there are still more thousands of slackers at home, young men of war age who are holding easy jobs at big money. The Canadian papers are enthusiastically supporting the draft

# DECATUR BREWING COMPANY TO QUIT

## Old Industry Offers Its Property for Sale.

The oldest industry, except one, in the city of Decatur, is offering its equipment for sale in the advertising columns today. The Decatur Brewing company offers the plant at the foot of Cantrell street, just off Broadway, for sale, buildings and machinery.

The Decatur brewery, with the single exception of the brick business, is the oldest business continuously in operation in Decatur. It was started back in the years in the decade before the Civil war, some time in the 50's, and has run almost continuously since that time.

Originally when started the brewery was on the lot a block east of where it now stands, on the ground now used by the big stables, and the cellars of the original plant are still there.

GOOD ICE FACTORY.

Changed and modernized many times, the plant is now offered for sale. As it stands, it would make a good ice factory and has the storage house and ice-making machinery for that purpose. The refrigerating plant has a capacity of fifty tons a day, and by slight changes could be increased to 100 tons.

The brewery and bottling works once employed about forty men, but conditions in the liquor business have so changed in recent years that the business could not be profitably run in this territory.

# DR. J. T. M'DAVID BACK IN DECATUR

## Regular Army Doctor in City on Furlough.

Dr J. T. McDavid, now a regular army surgeon, is in the city on a four day furlough, leaving Wednesday for Fort Riley, Kans. He went to Fort Riley when he first left Decatur some weeks ago and was then sent to Columbus, O., with a force of physicians to examine all the Ohio infantry being mustered into the regular army.

He was paired off with a Missouri physician in the work and they finished their work in such a short time that each was given a four-day furlough. They were the only two in the bunch to secure a furlough. They now return to Fort Riley and do not know where they will be sent from there or in what work they will be.

## MEETINGS.

Dunham Post No. 141, G. A. R.—Regular meeting Tuesday night at 7:30 o'clock in hall, corner North Main and William streets.

Independence Camp, Royal Neighbors—Meeting tonight in R. of P. hall, Powers building.

L. A. to R. of R. T. Meeting in Ryan & Higgins' hall Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

MASONIC.

Macon Lodge No. 8, A. F. and A. M.—Meeting at Masonic temple, Water and William streets, Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. for work.

Macon Hive No. 910, Ladies of the Maccabees—Regular meeting Wednesday afternoon in the K. P. hall, North Main street. The Resistess are to be Mrs. Smethers and Mrs. Wilking.

Homestead No. 5164, Brotherhood of American Yoemen—Meeting Wednesday at 8 p.m. at K. P. hall, William and Main streets.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES

Thomas W. Bell, Decatur.....Legal
Cora T. Smith, Decatur.....Legal

# MRS. CAZALET, 76, DIES IN CHICAGO

## One of Oldest Residents of Macon County.

## WAS BORN IN FRANCE

## To Bring Body to Decatur; Burial in Macon.

Word of the death of Liza Cazalet, aged 76, in Chicago was received in Decatur Tuesday morning. She had been in ill health for nearly a year, following a stroke of apoplexy which she suffered last fall while visiting her daughter, Mrs. L. C. James, in Topeka, Kas.

Mrs Cazalet continued in a state of coma up until a month ago, when she improved sufficiently to go to the home of her daughter in Chicago. During the period of the extreme heat, Mrs. Cazalet sank rapidly, and took no food for more than a week. Her death came Tuesday morning, following an almost continual sinking.

Mrs Cazalet is one of Macon county's oldest residents She spent the largest part of her life in and near Macon and had a wide circle of friends in that vicinity.

BORN IN FRANCE.

Mrs. Cazalet was born in France near Paris, and came to America when she was eighteen years old and had just been married. With her husband she settled in LaSalle, where they lived for a short while, when they moved to El Paso, Ill. In 1895 she moved to Macon, where she lived out I about 1908, when she went to live with her daughter, Mrs Bert E Cook, who at that time lived in Decatur.

She is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Bert E. Cook, and Mrs. S. H Wheeler, both of Chicago, Mrs. Leona C James, Topeka, Kan., and one son, Louis Cazalet, who is now in France with the International Harvester company.

BURIAL AT MACON.

The body will be brought to Decatur Wednesday morning and will leave for Macon on the Illinois Central train south at 8:05. Funeral services will be held in the First Presbyterian church at Macon. Rev. Elisha Safford of the Westminster Presbyterian church will have charge of the services Interment will be made in the Macon cemetery, where her husband is buried.

## FUNERALS

MRS. SARAH E. GIBBS.

The funeral of Mrs. Sarah E. Gibbs was held at 7 o'clock Monday evening at the residence of her son, Rev. H. C. Gibbs, 1303 West Wood street. Three Methodist ministers conducted the services. They were Rev. M. N. English, Rev. Freeman A. Havighurst and Rev. A. J. Jokisch. Many old friends of the family attended the services.

The music was furnished by Elmer Lyons, who sang two solos, "Shadows," and "Abide With Me."

The pallbearers were L. N. Hodge, I. M. Keyes, Luther Martin, J. W. Crane, G. W. Kaylor and J. Krieger. At 8:10 Monday night the body was taken over the Illinois Central to Coolville, O., for interment.

VERDINA MARTIN.

The funeral of Verdina Martin, four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Martin, was held at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon. On account of the fact that three other children are ill at the home, the services were conducted at the grave in Fairlawn cemetery. Rev. S. E Long, pastor of the First United Brethren church, conducted the services. The music was furnished by Mrs. Homer Bateman.

Mrs M. O. Rawlings

The funeral of Mrs. M. O Rawlings, mother of Mother Bartholomew, will be held at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning in the chapel at St Teresa's academy. The interment will be in Calvary.

MRS. M. O. RAWLINGS.

The funeral of Mrs. M. O. Rawlings will be held Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock from St. Teresa's chapel.

# GUNSHOT WOUND, CORONER'S VERDICT

**In Inquest Over Body of B. F. Wisner; Funeral Wednesday.**

The funeral of B. F Wisner will be held at 2:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the North Fork church. The interment will be in North Fork cemetery. Friends may call at the residence near Sangamon from 12 to 2 o'clock. The casket will not be opened at the church. The cortege will leave the house at 2 o'clock.

Coroner Leon A. Monson held the inquest over the body of Mr. Wisner Monday evening. The verdict was that death was the result of a gunshot wound inflicted by himself with suicidal intent

# CONGREGATIONAL TO REGISTER A PROTEST

**Against Building Dry Cleaning Establishment Beside Church.**

Rev Frank Fox, pastor of the First Congregational church, has called an important meeting of his congregation in the Sunday school rooms of the church for Wednesday evening at 7:45 to register a protest against the proposed building of a dry cleaning establishment on the west side of the church. Mr. Fox has asked that all members of the congregation attend.

L. L. Sober of the Norman Laundry company, which is planning the new building, said Tuesday

"The ordinance requires that we have a solid twelve-inch wall on the side toward the church and an eight-inch concrete roof, and in addition to these building requirements we have planned a seven and a half foot drive way between our building and the church. Furthermore, we do not run on Sundays nor after 5:30 in the evening so that any danger to people in the church from that building is very small."

# NEED 200 MEN FOR DECATUR'S QUOTA

## Some Will Be Ruled Out After Mobilization.

If any members of the local exemption boards thought that their work was almost over they received a hard jolt Monday afternoon when the following communication came from the office of the provost marshal at Washington:

"No board can receive final credit on its quota for any selected man until word has been received from the military authorities at the rendezvous or mobilization camp that the man has been accepted into the military service of the United States.

"Some men passed by the local board will be exempted or discharged on appeal by the district board and some will be discharged for industrial reasons by the district board. Some will be rejected at mobilization camps after more rigid examinations. The number of persons passed by local boards who will be discharged by district boards or at mobilization camps is tentatively estimated at about 10 per cent. of those passed by the local boards. Therefore local boards should continue to call men up for examination until they have apparently filled their quota with 10 per cent additional.'

MUST FURNISH 200.

It therefore looks as though the city board will have to furnish 200 men instead of 182, and the county board 194 instead of 176. Even that may not be enough.

It will probably be a long time before complete data can be had on the men actually accepted for service. As the communication of Monday says, many will be rejected for physical disqualifications when they are given the more rigid examinations at the military camps. Those who are exempted by the local boards on account of physical disqualifications will not have to stand another examination, at least not for a long time, so that an accurate list of those exempted will doubtless be available long before it is definitely known who will be accepted.

It would be hard to imagine a more thorough system of keeping a record of the proceedings in the selective draft than that adopted by the government for use by the exemption boards. Tuesday morning the local boards received notice that in a little while the government would send them "dockets" in which to enter the transactions of the boards. Every "case" will be entered in these dockets, exactly as in a court docket.

The name and number of the man examined will be put down. Opposite the name will be placed the date on which he was sent the official notice to appear for examination, the date on which he actually was examined, and the action taken by the board in his case, so that the complete record of every man will be shown at a glance. If at any time in the future a question should arise concerning any of those registered for draft, it can be settled at once by referring to the docket.

# NEW MANAGEMENT FOR AVON THEATER

## Joe Allman Has Leased House to Outside Firm.

Joseph Allman, proprietor and manager of the Avon theater, anounced Tuesday that he has leased his house to an outside amusement firm. The newcomers will take possession about Sept. 1. Mr. Allman and Manager Currier will step down and out and both will probably secure new positions in the amusement game, possibly in other cities.

Mr. Allman states that the theater will probably close after Wednesday evening of this week to be remodeled. Some changes will be made in the doors and the interior will be redecorated. The past season has been a successful one, but it was felt that a leasing of the theater would be more satisfactory.

# VAUGHAN FAMILY ANNUAL REUNION

**Seventy-five Expected to Attend Event At Fairview.**

It is expected that at least seventy-five members of the Vaughan family will attend the thirty-ninth annual reunion of the family which is to be held at Fairview park, Aug. 22. Mrs. Clara Hawkins of Decatur, who is secretary of the association, has written all of the members of the family who could be reached inviting them to come to the reunion this year. In most instances the replies which she had received have been favorable.

It is the plan of the family to go out to the park in the forenoon and spend the afternoon renewing old acquaintances and memories. The picnic dinner, which is always the feature of the reunion, will be held at noon. The majority of the family live near Bethany or from other points in Moultrie county. W. F. Vaughan is president of the association. Other officers are J. F. Butts, vice president and Mrs. Clara Hawkins, secretary. A feature of the afternoon's meeting will be a short business session following the picnic dinner.

## DEEDS RECORDED

M. H. Davis to W. A. Arnold, lot 6, block 26, Railroad addition to Macon; $565.

J. Elizabeth Madden to J. F. Schudel, part of lot 18, block 12, H. A. Wood's subdivision in Gulick's addition; $1.

# PIATT COUNTY MEN QUALIFY

Monticello, Aug. 7.—Piatt county is plugging ahead and expects to have her quota of men ready in a short time. A large number of men have been examined and most of them have qualified. It is not yet known however how many will ask for exemption. Following is a list of the first men examined and how they stand:

DISQUALIFIED.

Herschel J. Overstake, LaPlace.
William T. Phillips, Monticello.
Robert R. Fitzwater, Monticello.
Edwin I. Pilchard, Mansfield.
Adlai C. Taylor, Milmine.
Charles F. Douglas, Mansfield
Roy E. Ensign, Milmine.
David E. Arndt, Cisco.
Troy C. Blacker, White Heath.
Frank Morris Van Note, Mansfield
W. Jesshack, Monticello.
Allen Dennis, Cerro Gordo.
William E. Fix, Mansfield.
Orville Bowyer, Bement.
Harry Clark, Monticello.
Tony Gunich, Bement.
John J. Perry, Whiteheath.

QUALIFIED.

Oral Clyde Carroll, Bement
Glen P. Irwin, Cisco.
Ray B. Ponder, Hammond.
Emory O. Traxler, Atwood.
John E. Foran, Bement.
Gay A. Kitner, LaPlace.
Harley W. Miles, Cisco.
Lewis Thomas Hall, Monticello.
Victor Thomas Greeve, Atwood
Elmer Jesse Hank, Monticello.
Arlis A. Alexander, White Heath.
Harley Mooney, Monticello.
Clyde Charles Halterman, Bement
Calvin Ray Poundstone, Bement.
Lawrence E. Dawson, Monticello.
Alexander Hawthorne, Mansfield.
Paul S. Frye, Lodge.
James F. Sampson, Pierson.
George Elias Hoover, Mansfield.
Albert L. Larson, DeLand.
Homer Waldo Rusk, Milmine.
John Sibert Neff, Hammond.
Orville T. Rittenhouse, Bement.
Clyde E. Robinson, Lintner.
Lawrence Richardson, Hammond.
Homer L. Bowman, Monticello.
Henry Earl Wolfe, LaPlace.
Burley Eugene Baker, Atwood
Albert E. Benson, Cisco.
Wilson Earl Smith, Monticello.
Fred Otto South, Hammond.
William P. Tusing, Cerro Gordo.
Chester R. Buckles, Mansfield.
Glen Baumgardner, Mansfield.
William L. Grove, Cerro Gordo.
James H. E. Warren, Farmer City.
Samuel L. Lucas, Monticello.
Michael E. Curry, Bement.
Oliver Cain, DeLand
Warren E. Fisher, Hammond.
William N. Gire, Monticello.
James E. Pollard, Cerro Gordo
George S. Erhardt, Lintner.
Homer W. Leedy, Cerro Gordo
Theo. Solomon, Cerro Gordo.
Earl R. Shannon, Monticello.
William A. Cahill, Monticello.
Howard L. Bogard, Atwood.
Roy C. Moore, Bement.
S. Max Baker, Milmine
Frank Puddy, Mt. Carmel, Pa.
Everrett Haynes.
Nelson R. Marshall.
Granville P. Eads.
Harrison L. Hall.
Carl E. Neal.
Ferdinand Mintun.
Jasper J. Jones.
Harry Land.
Herbert Halterman.
Carl Peterson.
Olen D. Kimler
David Chenoweth.
Frank Brandt.
Harry Pensinger.
Carl E. Larson.
Ora V. Alexander.
Wilson Hannah.
George E. Beale.
John Leathers.
Jess Cafin.
Henry Schwartz.
Charles W. Mix.
Charles A. Graham.
Arthur T. Lamb.
David Last.
Willard Peck.

**DeWITT BOARD IS BUSY.**

Clinton, Aug. 7.—Tuesday morning the board of exemption at Clinton started the work of physical examination and up to noon had examined thirty men. Practically all the men will claim exemption although the number disqualified through physical defects was very small, not exceeding seven or eight. It is expected that the work of examination in Clinton will be finished by Thursday night, although the claims for exemption if allowed in proportion to the number accepted Tuesday will mean that the number to be examined must be materially increased over the first estimate.

**DOUGLAS COUNTY BOARD.**

Tuscola, Aug. 7.—The exemption board at Tuscola is working steadily on the list of drafted men and they examined 55 men Monday.

Of the 55 men examined 38 passed the physical examination, and 17 were rejected for physical defects. Of the 38 who passed the physical tests 30 will claim exemption on some ground, eight saying that they would not claim any exemption.

# AGED MILMINE MERCHANT DEAD

## Father of Cassius Holcomb Expires.

T. L. Holcomb, a long time resident of Milmine and Oakley, died at his home in Milmine Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock.

Mr. Holcomb was born in St. Clair county, Illinois, May 9, 1842, and had been a resident of Oakley and Milmine for many years. He moved to Milmine from Oakley in 1891 and had been in business there since that time.

He was a member of the G. A. R. post at Cerro Gordo, having served three years in the Civil war in the 117th Illinois regiment.

He leaves two sons, Cassius Holcomb of Oakley, Clarence Holcomb of Boston, Mass., and a daughter, Mrs. George Dobson of Cerro Gordo.

In addition to the children who are left, there are three grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

The funeral will be held Thursday afternoon at Milmine and will be in charge of the Odd Fellows and Masonic fraternities.

# BOATSWAIN'S MATE COMES TO DECATUR

## H. Sterner New Naval Recruiting Officer.

**Their Country's Call.**

ARMY.

Harlan G. Buckler, Kansas, Ill., aviation.
Floyd H. Neatherly, Vandalia, Ill., aviation.

Navy.

William C. Delaney, Decatur, apprentice seaman.
Paul L. Hatfield, Decatur, apprentice seaman.
John F. Deremiah, St. Elmo, apprentice seaman.

E. W. Eckhardt, Macon, musician.

D. B. Dolley, who arrived here last Saturday to re-open the Decatur naval recruiting office, received word Tuesday morning that he was to be transferred to Springfield as soon as another man was sent here. The new man will be H. Sterner, first class boatswain's mate.

# GOVERNMENT HAS SOME CHOICE JOBS

## Good Pay for Right Men in the Positions.

The government is in need of men for other branches of work as well as the army and George Turney, civil service secretary for this district, has received several urgent letters from the commission, not only urging him to get people to take examinations for the various kinds of work but even urging him to persuade people to study and take special courses to prepare themselves for these examinations.

Although business colleges and other schools the country over, are turning out stenographers by the hundreds, yet they are not filling the demand and the civil service commission in one of its letters practically assures anyone a job who will take up short hand and typewriting, the salary ranging from $900 to $1,200 a year

NEEDED IN SHIP YARDS.

Another call is for more men to work in the various navy yards of the country. Boilermakers, shipfitters and shipwrights are especially needed, the pay ranging from forty-two to sixty cents an hour, an eight-hour day with time and a half for over time

Assistant land classifiers with salaries ranging from $1,500 to $1,800 a year are needed. At a recent examination for this position, there were not enough applicants taking the examination to fill all the jobs. This work consists in working on public lands and classifying it, especially in arid portions. No public examination is held for this but anyone can apply and will be given the examination right at home. The age limits in this are from twenty-five to forty years. One must be able to stand a test in agronomy, animal husbandry, plant ecology, geology and irrigation water supply engineering.

Junior land classifiers are also wanted, the salary attached to this ranging from $1,080 to $1,200 a year It is open to men from twenty to thirty-five years. Further details on any of these places can be secured from George Turney in the Decatur postoffice.

**Pleads Guilty to Speeding.**

David Henderson of Mt. Auburn pleaded guilty in the county court Monday to a charge of operating an automobile in such a manner as to endanger the lives of persons on the public highway, and Judge J. H. McCoy fined him $5 and costs. He was running at a high rate of speed and lost control and went into the ditch. He suffered three broken ribs. He said that something went wrong with the steering gear, but that he would plead guilty as the quickest way out.

# McKINLEY GOING BACK TO CHAMPAIGN

**House of Representatives Is Given Month's Vacation.**

Congressman W. B. McKinley of Champaign, is on his way back from Washington to Champaign. The house of representatives at Washington, having passed all war legislation bills, the members were told by Democratic leader Kitchin that they could go home and stay on a vacation until the Senate passes the tax bill. It is thought the senate will pass the bill sometime between the 10th and fifteenth of September.

# CANADIANS AT EDGE OF LENS

Canadian Headquarters in France Aug. 7. (by Canadian Press Limited.)—The Canadian outposts around Lens have established a new line in a group of houses, which is within a few yards of the enemy front line at that point.

The Lens-Bethune Road is now safely within our lines almost up to the city of Lens.

## Toledo Seeds.

Toledo, Aug. 7.—Clover seed: Prime cash, $11.95; October, $12.32, December, $12.45, March, $12.50.

Alsike: Prime cash, $11.50; September, $11.50; October, $11.45.

Timothy: Prime cash, $3.90; September, $4.35; October, $4.20.

## New York Money.

New York, Aug. 7.—Mercantile paper, 4¾ per cent.

Bar silver, 51¼c.

Mexican dollars, 65¼c.

Time loans, 3¾@4¾ per cent

Call money: High, 3 per cent; low, 2 per cent; closing bid, 2½ per cent.

# AMBULANCIERS TO DRILL TONIGHT

## University of Chicago Corps Expected to Reach City in Time for Exhibition—Thirty Men in Party.

According to a telephone report received from Bloomington at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, the University of Chicago ambulance corps had just reached that city and was giving its drill. At that time, the ambulance corps stated that it expected to reach Decatur Tuesday evening shortly after 6 o'clock and will give its drill in Central park at 8.

The ambulanciers came down from Pontiac Tuesday morning, making the forty-five miles through much mud and over slippery roads. They gave exhibitions at Bloomington and Normal and later in the afternoon at Clinton. From Decatur they will continue southeast, reaching Shelbyville Wednesday night.

THIRTY MEN IN PARTY.

There are three ambulances and thirty men in the party. Their drill consists of handling stretchers, showing the holds for carrying wounded men, first aid methods, loading the wounded and other feats of the battlefield. The University of Chicago corps is momentarily expecting a call to the front. They have arranged to have their machines loaded on cars and move east if the call comes to them anywhere enroute.

The ambulanciers are sent out by the Illinois Red Cross to aid in the drive for a million members by giving a demonstration of Red Cross ambulance men in action.

24 NEW MEMBERS.

The Macon Branch of the Red Cross sent in a list of 24 new members Tuesday morning. This branch of the Decatur chapter is working steadily on memberships and will soon be one of the large branches in the county.

Mrs. George Wright chairman of the work committee of the Red Cross asks everybody with any yarn on hand, any color, it makes no difference what shade, to knit a square eight inches by eight inches of the yarn and bring it to the work headquarters where the eight inch squares will be pieced together and comfort robes for hospital use will be made. If the owner of the yarn does not care to make the square if she will send the odd lots of yarn to the headquarters the workers there will find some one to do the knitting. In this way odd lots of colored yarns can be made useful and warm robes can be made for hospital use.

# THRESHING HALTED IN THIS COUNTY

## Many Reports of Good Yields Reported.

The rain is knocking out threshing work all over the county but don't think for a minute that it is making the farmer mad, not unless it keeps up too long. Fully a half dozen farmers said Tuesday morning that these rains could not have come at any better time and they say it is the making of the corn crop

Just one farmer of the whole bunch said another good rain would be needed in a week or ten days for making of the corn but most of them felt that corn was made. The Macon county crop this year promises to break all records.

"It's good for everything, even the cats," declared one farmer.

Had it not rained Tuesday, farmers expected to get back to threshing about Wednesday afternoon or anyway by Thursday morning. It will take at least a day and a half of clear, warm weather now to get the machines started pouring out the grain again.

## People You Know

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Brohard, 1681 North Morgan street, will spend Wednesday in Peoria.

Mrs. Charles Bass, 856 East Orchid street, has returned from a visit with Mrs. Bass' sister, Mrs. Clayton, in Pana.

The Misses Lida and Lela Bass have returned from a week's visit with their uncle, Rev. Thomas W. Bass, in Sweetwater, Ill.

Misses Catherine Patterson and Catherine Cox are spending a few days with friends in Lincoln.

Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Arthurs and daughters, Frances and Gladys, 860 East Prairie street, are visiting relatives in Byron, Ohio.

Mrs. Anna S. Kirby went to Peru, Ill., today to attend a meeting of The Ladies of the Maccabees lodge there. A class of candidates will be initiated and a picnic will be given at Starved Rock. Mrs. Kirby recently organized this hive with sixty-five members.

Ethel Stewart, 313 West Main street, left Tuesday for Detroit, where she will spend two weeks.

Miss Olivia and Kate McKeown went to Chicago Monday for a week's visit with relatives.

Miss Nell Young returned Tuesday from New York, where she has been purchasing goods for Bright Bros.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Mulkey and family left Tuesday for Gayman, Col., where they expect to visit for three or four weeks with Mr. Mulkey's brother.

J. E. Crane of Chicago is visiting his father J. W. Crane, 1299 West Macon street, for the first few days of his vacation.

## Scraps of News

ORGANIZE LODGE.

Miss Nellie Gentzler, Mrs. Alice Shepard and Mrs. Rose Braden will go to Warrensburg this week, where they will organize a degree of Pocahontas lodge.

OPEN SEPT. 10.

Decatur schools will open Sept. 10, and not on the 4th as has been reported.

COMMITTEE MEETS

The membership committee of the Y. W. C. A. held a meeting this afternoon to discuss business matters.

FORTY-ONE EXAMINED.

The city exemption board examined forty-one men Tuesday morning. Out of that number sixteen were disqualified because of physical defects and twenty-five passed.

SISTER DIES

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fagen and Miss Beatrice Fagen left Tuesday afternoon for Effingham where they were called by the death of Mrs. Fagen's sister, Mrs. Mary Cline. The funeral will be Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock.

# SHELBYVILLE HIT BY SEVERE STORM

## Corn Blown Flat—Chautauqua Campers in Peril.

Shelbyville, Aug. 7—Scores of tents at Forest park, where the Shelbyville chautauqua is in progress, were levelled, and the lives of the chautauqua visitors were threatened by the electrical storm which broke over the city about 6 o'clock Monday evening.

RESEMBLED CYCLONE.

The storm resembled a cyclone in that it took a swath about two miles south and east of Shelbyville and visited it with a furious hail and windstorm.

CORN BLOWN FLAT.

All the corn in the path of the storm was blown flat, while many fields were entirely stripped. In most cases, however, the corn will recover.

HEAVY RAIN, TREES DOWN.

Shelbyville itself was deluged with rain. For an hour the rain poured down in a regular torrent, while the electrical display was frightful. The storm was accompanied by a high wind which rocked the houses on their foundations and blew scores of trees down. Many of the streets in Shelbyville are blocked by trees which went over in the storm Monday evening, while broken limbs are dangling from practically every tree in town. The telephone facilities at Shelbyville were wrecked in the storm. Company officials said that the damage which their lines had suffered were the most extensive which they had ever known and would reach $5,000.

DAMAGE IN COUNTRY.

In the towns about Shelbyville, corresponding damage was reported. William Prosser near Clarksville, lost a silo in the storm. George Fouste had three horses struck by lightning, but none were killed. Corn cribs at the Blue Hall elevator were blown over in the storm. At Findlay the Dizey Opera House was unroofed and the place flooded. The drug store of C. B. Laughlin was deluged also. The roof of the opera house was blown for about 100 feet

The chautauqua colony at Forest park suffered the most extensive damage. The chautauqua grounds look like a fallen forest with trees scattered everywhere. Several trees fell across tents, some of which were occupied. There were no serious injuries. A tent occupied by Mrs. S McKenzie and her sister had a tree fall on it, but although the women were found huddled in a corner under a box, neither were injured.

Three other tents occupied by parties of girls were struck by falling trees but owing to the fact that they were not occupied at the time, no one was injured.

Co. H, 4th Regiment, I. N. G., started to work Tuesday morning clearing away the wreckage at the chautauqua grounds. It was one of the worst storms which Shelbyville has ever known.

# SIDE OF FARMER'S FACE BLOWN OFF

Champaign, Aug. 7—Paul Messmann, a farmer, residing fifteen miles southwest of here, was killed today by the accidental discharge of a shotgun. The trigger of the gun was caught by a gate and the shell exploded. The left side of his face was blown off. Several children saw the accident.

# LATEST.

## TO CALL GOVERNORS OF SIXTEEN STATES

Chicago, Aug. 7—Initiative in calling a conference of governors of sixteen states at Chicago, Aug. 16, for the purpose of taking concerted action to reduce coal prices, even to the extent of seizing the mines, was taken today by the Illinois State Council of Defense.

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